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Sylvanus Lum Family

1307 - 1930

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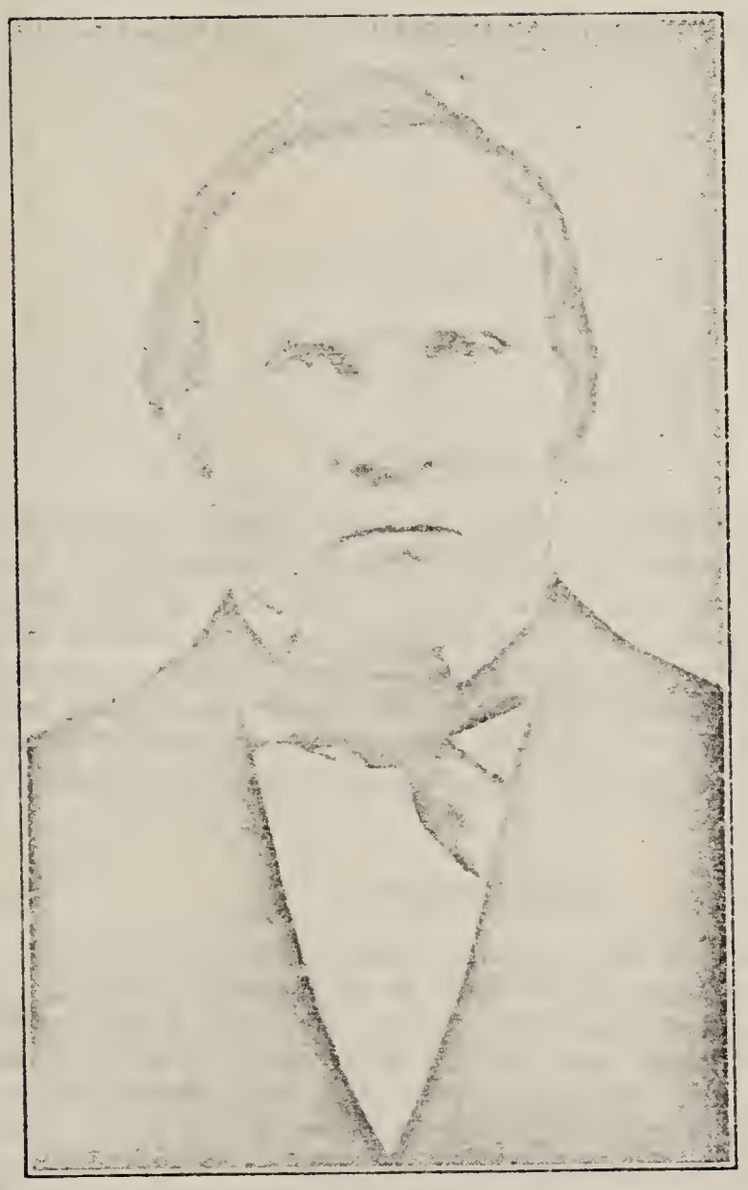
PREFACE

This book is offered, not as a family history but rather as a family record. With its assistance anyone who is a descendant through the families mentioned, may know their ancestry. The work of compiling the book has taken some twenty years of spare time. The work was pleasant and instructive. Many friends have been acquired and a knowledge of the family which is obtainable in no other way. The book is presented to those whose names appear with the compliments of those who did the work. By referring to the various family heads it will be seen that they were all pioneers in reality. We whose ancestry is given herein, may justly take great pride in knowing we are descendants of such sturdy fearless men as those who landed in America when the New England states were a trackless wilderness.

Elmour D. Lum.



SYLVANUS LUM, JR.

COAT OF ARMS

The Lum family coat of arms is shown in the book published by Edward H. Lum, "The Lum Genealogy." It is accounted for in his book, which may be seen at all state Historical Libraries. The Bean family coat of arms is mentioned in many places, one reference is in a will which bequeathed a coat of arms and royal arch Masonic charm. The Paine coat of arms is also shown in the various Paine Family Histories. The Gary family also boasts a coat of arms.

FOREWORD

During the past twenty years, I have either met or corresponded with hundreds of families of our name. I find most of them spell the name Lum, although one cousin spells his name Lumm. Of the hundreds of Lum families, I have come in contact with, two only were farmers. No doubt there are others, but I am convinced that the family are not naturally tillers of the soil. Many are professional men, insurance men and in most of the trades, but not many farmers.

While the name Lum is not at all common, there are families, descendants of the original first John, 1620, to be found in almost every state in the union. I have at various times called people on the telephone to ask as to which family they belong to and almost without exception the answer has been forthcoming instantly. The Lum family came to America when the voyage was a trying ordeal and the country to which they came a wilderness. They have pioneered across the continent and are to be found from Boston to San Francisco.

Several genealogists at various times have compiled records which in the main agree with "The Lum Genealogy" as compiled by E. H. Lum. The purpose of what is set forth here

will be therefore, to give the line briefly down to Andrew, and of the later generation give something of the history. Therefore the name and first origin will be in order.

The name has been spelled at various times as Lum, Lumb, Lumm, Lume, and in various other ways, but we find the name was spelled in England as Lum, and on the coat of arms which is shown in the "Lum Genealogy" by Edward H. Lum, the name is spelled Lum. As already indicated, anyone who wishes to learn of the various branches of the family may refer to the "Lum Genealogy" which may be secured from any Historical Library, or from E. H. Lum at Newark, N. J.

THE ORIGIN OF THE NAME

In the last (1909) edition of the Loomis Genealogy there is a chapter on the origin of the surname by Charles A. Hoppin Gr. who, after exhaustive research, has concluded that the name is derived from the Saxon words "lum" and "halgh." In explaining the etymology he says the word "lum" anciently had various meanings in different parts. "Lum" in the Shetland Islands meant a rift, an opening in the sky, and clearing up of fog. In the County of Norfolk, England, a "lum" was the handle of an oar. "Lum" also meant to rain heavily. In Scotland, Ireland and the Northern English Counties of Durham and Yorkshire a "lum" meant a chimney, the vent by which the smoke issued, as in Grant's Chronicles of Kechleton: "She heard a voice crying doon her ain lum." Further south and west in Yorkshire and in Derbyshire and in the west riding of Yorkshire close to the border of Salford Hundred in Lancaster County "lum" meant; (1) a small wood or grove, (2) a wood bottom growing shrubs and trees, not fit for mowing. In Lancashire, also in Counties Derby and Oxford, "lum" meant a deep pool in the bed of a river."

E. H. Lum says: "The ancestors of the Irish baronet Sir Francis Lum, I have reason to think, resided near Halifax. The name has been written variously Lom(b), Lum(b), Lome, Lumm, etc. There have been Lombes in Norfolk since an early date, the principal family being represented by the Lombes of Bylaugh."

The name Lum runs back to a very early date. A Richard Lum(b) of Barwick in Elmet was traced back to 1277-1290 when Richard Lomb of Lynn occurs, and in a subsidy of 1301 Richard Lom, of Yaffroth near Northallerton occurs. In the poll tax for 1379 Richard Lome was taxed at Barwick in Elmet and also Alice and Agnes Lome. In the subsidy of 1598 Richard Lome of Wakefield paid 8sh and in more recent times Richard Lomb 1726-1807, a Wakefield, merchant resided there and at Ackton Hall, near Pontefract.

All available references indicate that we are of English extraction. The name is found in Yorkshire Co., England, hund-

reds of years before it appears elsewhere. Whether of Saxon or Norse derivation is a question, but the 13th century finds the name in England and nowhere else unless it be in China. The earliest settlers of the name in the country, if associations mean anything, came from England. Emigrants of more recent time, both under the name of Lum and Lumb all came from Yorkshire, England. While L-u-m appears to be the earliest spelling of the name, many of the family still residing in Yorkshire spell the name Lumb. An old gentleman of Scottish extraction some twenty-five years ago insisted on calling the writer chimney, as he explained "Lumm" or lum was chimney in his language.

LUM GENEALOGY

JOHN LUM

John Lum is supposed to have been born about 1620 in Yorkshire, England. The first record of him in this county is at Stamford, Conn., where he is in the list of pioneers in .... ember, 1642, (sic the record). He was granted a home lot and land in the field to be enclosed and was there to the end of the year. He was at Hempstead, Long Island, in 1644 and next appears at Southampton, L. I., June 17, 1651, where he was granted an hundred acre lot and rights on Feb. 10th, 1653 at Southampton.

John Lum was at Fairfield, Ct., Nov. 1, 1673, when John Knowles writes his will and leaves a bequest (a shote) to "John Lum (spelt Loom) who hath been very helpful to me in my sickness." See Fairfield Records, Vol. 2, page 71. John Lum is a witness to the will. John Knowles died in 1685 according to Fairfield records of deeds and appears to have lived near the center of what is now Fairfield, and it is presumed that John Lum was a near neighbor, though no record of lands in his name is found.

John Lum md.....Strickland. Her first name has not been found. John Strickland was at Charlestown, Mass., 1630; Watertown, 1632; Wethersfield, Ct., 1635; Stamford, Ct., 1640; Hempstead, L. I., 1644, and Jamaica, L. I., 1672. In his will he leaves a bequest (cow) to his eldest daughter, the wife of John Lum.

Jonathon Lum, b. 1666, d. 1758.

JONATHON LUM

The first appearance of this Jonathon is in 1695 when he had a lot in Derby, Conn. He purchased land of Indians there Aug. 15, 1698. He was a selectman of Derby, 1703, 1712, 1725. With others he gave a home lot in Derby in 1696 to Joseph Baldwin, a physician. His ear mark entered May 10, 1706, was

one half-penny on the underside of the near or left ear. A home lot laid out to him in January, 1702-3 contained 22 acres. He married three times. First Oct. 10th, 1700, Sarah Riggs, b. Feb. 24th, 1683, the dau. of Ensign Samuel Riggs and his wife Sarah Baldwin, who were married June 14th, 1680. Samuel Riggs was the son of Edward Riggs, Jr., and grandson of Edward Riggs, who won great distinction in the Pequot war, saving a group of officers who were ambushed. Sarah Baldwin, baptized Apl. 1st, 1649, was dau. of Richard and Elizabeth (Alsop) Baldwin. Jonathon Lum md. secondly at New Milford, Conn., church, March 2nd, 1741-2, Lydia Bronson, widow of Deacon Samuel Bronson. Lydia was born or baptized at Waterbury, Conn., March 13th, 1680-1, the dau. of John Warner, Jr., and wife Ann (Norton) Warner, who were md. June 28, 1699. Lydia was a practicing physician, driving from house to house. Jonathan Lum md. thirdly, Ruth Castle, Jan. 14th, 1746, dau. of William Castle, baptized June 2, 1732, admitted to church at Woodbury, Mch. 28, 1742, and died at Woodbury, Oct. 22, 1767. The Woodbury records say a Ruth Castle was born there Aug. 6, 1705, the dau. of Henry and Hannah (Squire) Castle, who were married at Woodbury Apl. 20, 1699. It is believed by some that the younger Ruth Castle was the wife of Jonathan Lum. Jonathan Lum's will is dated Dec. 3, 1756, prob. Oct. 6, 1758, in New Haven, Conn. He names Ruth, sons, John and Jonathan, heirs of Samuel Lum, his deceased son, Joseph, heirs of dau. Sarah Durand, deceased, and dau. Elizabeth, wife of Daniel Hull.

SAMUEL, b. ....., 1706, d. ....., 1744.

SAMUEL LUM

Samuel Lum married Dec. 7, 1730, Hannah Ted, of Huntington, Conn., according to the church records of that place. He settled in Derby, Conn., and two of his children were born there. He moved about 1736 to New Milford, where his father had bought lands. Samuel Lum's will dated May 7, 1744, at Woodbury, Conn., names wife Hannah and children, Jonathan, Samuel, Andrew and Hannah. Hannah, wife of Samuel Lum, joined church at New Milford, Conn., May 30, 1736. Some time after the death of her husband she married Abraham Bostwick as shown by deed dated at New Milford, Dec. 21st, 1749, signs as Extrix, of former husband, Samuel Lum deceased.

ANDREW, b. Feb. 25, 1742-3, d. Feb. ...., 1810.

Samuel, b. Feb. 19, 1733.

Jonathon, b. Apl. 20, 1738, d. Jan. 9, 1820.

ANDREW LUM

It is with the descendants of Andrew Lum that the balance of this Lum History will deal.

He was at Milford, Conn., July 1, 1766 when he conveyed land there to John Eagleston; was at Williamstown at date of deed May 12, 1771, to Ephraim Richmond for land at New Milford Conn. He was in Rev. war; entered service July 2, 1775, in Capt. Lemuel Stewart's company; credited with 50 days billeting paid on warrant from Major Gen. Schuyler at Albany, N. Y., Jan. 1776. Pittsfield, Mass. record of deeds, Book 4, page 445, gives sale dated July 5, 1776, by Ephraim Seeley to Andrew Lum, of New Milford, of 100 acres in Williamstown, Mass.; bought other property there in 1763, 1771, sold first purchase Oct. 31, 1771. Adams, Mass. records deed from Andrew Lum and Hannah, his wife dated Mch. 13, 1789. Jefferson Co., N. Y., Surrogate writes, names of Andrew and Samuel Lum appear in deed there, but nothing further, except there is mention of inventory in Estate of Andrew Lum, dated Feb. 1810 Samuel Lum, admr., we found all other records burnt up in court house fire of 1830. Federal census of 1790 gives Andrew Lum in Berkshire County, Mass., with two sons under 16 and four females incl. head of family. Federal census of 1790 gives Samuel Lum at Gracuttown in Middlesex Co., Mass., one female in family, no children mentioned. This was probably his wife. This Samuel was probably the son of Andrew. City Clerk, of Rutland, Vt., writes that in Book I. of R. E. records, pages 48 and 49, is deed, dated Feb. 7, 1780, from Gershom Beach to Andrew Lum, of Williamstown, Mass., for 230 acres, and under same date Andrew Lum, yeoman, deeds same property to Ichabod Tuttle. Andrew Lum lived at Rutland, Vt., where his dau. Hannah was born in 1775 and at Stamford, Vt. in 1791, where his son, Augustus was born. He died in 1810 in Jefferson Co., N. Y., and it is believed his wife was Hannah Walker, as Walker family lived in Rutland, Vt., after the French and Indian wars, and the surnames of grandchildren of Andrew Lum, unusual in the Lum family, are found in the Walker Genealogy. Hannah d. Apl. 19, 1835, age 83 yrs. 11 mos. and was buried in Griswold cemetery, Petersburg, Rensaeller Co., N. Y. We will say therefore that Andrew Lum's wife was most probably Hannah Walker, and four children appear to have been:

Samuel, the admr. of the estate of Andrew Lum, is thought to be his son. He had wife, Susannah and in Federal census of 1810 was of Wattertown, Jefferson Co., N. Y., with two males, 16-25 yrs., three females, 1 female 25-45, 1 female over 45. In federal census of 1790 there was a Samuel Lum and wife at Dracuttown, Mass., thought to be this one.

SYLVANUS, b. ....., 1773, d. ....., 1821.

Hannah, b. Jan. 7, 1775.
Augustus, b. Nov. 16, 1791, d. July 6, 1869.
John.
In Federal census of 1810 there is a John Lum of Norway, Herkimer C., N. Y. This John is believed to be a son of Andrew.

SYLVANUS LUM, SR.

Sylvanus Lum, Sr., who died in 1821, was comparatively young at the time of his death and as a result the family records were not carefully kept. Some of his descendants understood his name was Charles and others that it was Sylvanus and thus it took years of search to finally learn exactly what it was with the needed proof. That has but recently been done. In Landmarke of Orleans County, page 472, in the list of Articles by the Holland Co., we finally found his name as having an article for the following land; Middle west part of 100 acres of lot 3, Articles of Sylvanus Lum, April 25, 1820.

This land above described is the farm on which he is buried and which I visited while in New York State in 1925. Fifty acres of this land was afterwards transferred to Abraham Filkins, who married the widow of Sylvanus, Hester Wright Lum, Oct. 30th, 1828, fifty acres to Moses Hubbard, May 5th, 183, and all of this property became the property of Hiram Fargo, June 24th, 1833. Located at Barre, Orleans Co., N. Y.

Records which were presented by Ethel Lum of Elba, N. Y., show conclusively that Sylvanus Lum, the son of Andrew Lum m. Hannah Walker, was born in 1773 at Williamstown, Mass. Nothing is known of the early history of Sylvanus until tradition tells us he was married in Schohaire Co., N. Y., to Hester Wright. Alfred Ide, of Medina, N. Y., with whom I visited a grandson of Hester by Elizabeth Lum, lived for a time with Hester and recalls her talking a great deal of their marriage and the place. He recalled some of the history of Sylvanus such as having heard he had lived in Massachuetts before coming to New York State.

We assume that with the marriage of Sylvanus b. 1773 at Williamstown, Mass., down to the present time we have the Sylvanus Lum family history fairly accurate. Sylvanus was a goldsmith and was said by tradition to have been a very good one. His marriage to Hester Wright is said to have taken place in 1800. More than likely the date is correct as the ages of the children would appear to indicate they were not married previous to 1800. They moved first to Lima, N. Y., where they lived and where all their children were born. Later they moved to Barre Orleans and bought land from the Holland Land Co., but there is no record to show they ever took over the deed to the land, although he was buried on the farm supposed to have been owned by the family at the time of his

EDWARD D. LUM ELDRIDGE MILFORD LUM

burial. I visited the grave, which is unmarked and situated in a garden at the front, slightly north of the house. Ethel G. Lum pointed out the grave.

Lima, near Bloomfield, where the children were born, was at one time a good town, but is now but a village There was a church school of considerable importance located there at one time but that of recent years has dwindled down to a very small attendance if still operating at this time. It is a Methodist institution. A careful search of the records in the town hall as well as of the graveyards failed to disclose the name Lum, although we know John Lum was born there and all the children of Sylvanus Sr., and Hester Wright gave their birthplace as Lima, Livingstone, County, N. Y.

Sylvanus Lum, b. 1773, d. 1821, buried, Barre, N. Y., m. 1800.

Hester Wright, b. 1777, daughter of Jacob Wright and Hanna Dart, in Schoharie County, N. Y.

Sylvanus Lum was survived by Hester, who lived on the farm and died the day the Civil war closed. She had expressed a wish that the war might tedminate before her death. Her death came a few hours after the surrender of Lee's armies. Ester Lum, the second wife of John Lum is at the time this is written, still living and when visited five years ago she recalled clearly all the circumstances of the aged lady's declining years and final passing.

Several stories on the sturdy character of Hester Wright Lum may be worth repeating here. It appears that in the community shortly after the death of her husband, Sylvanus, a contest was held. It was called a cradling contest, the idea being that the man who was able to cut with a cradle the most wheat in a given time received five dollars, which in those times was a very large sum, indeed. Realizing keenly the desperate need of money, Hester entered in the contest and tradition tells us, outdid the men, cut more wheat than any of them and won the five dollars. She must have been a lovely woman for Mary Bean Lum told us many stories, all tending to show her sense of humor; notwithstanding she was a strong robust, powerful woman. Her son Sylvanus and his wife, Mary Bean, shortly after their marriage, walked from Elba to Barre one evening to stay over night with Hester. Upon their arrival the lights were out, the family having retired. Sylvanus suggested they would go to the spare room and go to bed and not waken his mother until morning. They did so and the next morning discovered that Hester had baked a cake the day before in anticipation of their coming and in order that it might not freeze, it being winter weather, had placed it under the feather tick. This story was told by grandmother and is still told by relatives in New York.

Hester was married a second time to Isreal Filkins, but the the marriage appears not to have been altogether agreeable

as she sent him on his way, so Esther Lum stated. No one living now ever saw the first Sylvanus Lum. He died in 1821, of lung trouble, according to tradition. He was buried on the farm then occupied, and either the grave was never marked or the marking has been removed. The man now living on the farm pointed to a place in garden where he stated a man was buried. Several who talked with Hester quoted her as saying Sylvanus was a goldsmith and clockmaker, being a great mechanic, handy with any kind of tools. Of their church affiliations I was able to learn little excepting that he had been a Congregationalist. Little is known of their education. Both Sylvanus and Hester were able to read and write but the extent of their education is not known.

After Sylvanus and Hester were married they moved, carrying all their earthly possessions on an ox cart to Lima, Livingstone County, where they lived until about 1818, when they moved to Barre, Orleans County, where the family grew up and married.

The Children:

Hanna, b. 1802, md. Henry Brown, 1838, d. Calhoun Co., Mich.

Samuel b. 1804, died young.

William, b. 1808.

Sylvanus, Jr., b. Dec. 12th, 1811, md. Mary Bean Jan. 8th, 1835, d. Nov. 11, 1872.

Orpha, b. May 10th, 1813, md. Nathaniel Bean (Bain) 1836, d. 1840, Albion, Mich.

Seth, b. May 8th, 1815, md. Eunice Case, d. 1881, Clinton, Iowa. No children.

Elizabeth, b. June 8th, 1817, md. Samuel Ide Feb. 6, 1837, d. Feb. 26, 1894.

John, b. Jan. 22, 1820, md. Sarah Vreeland 1843, d. March 1903.

JOHN LUM

John Lum, b. Jan. 22, 1820 at Lima, N. Y., d. March, 1903. at Medina, N. Y., md. Sarah Vreeland, b. 1823, daughter of Abraham Vreeland and Katherine Goodman, d. April 25, 1860 at Shelby, N. Y. Children:

Myron Lum, b. Feb. 8, 1847, d. in the 70s.

Edgar Lum, b. Jan. 17, 1858, d. Jan. 31. 1913, Barre, N. Y., m. Phebe Griffin.

Sarah E. Lum, b. March 25, 1860, d. 1913. Rochester, N. Y.

Roy, b. Dec. 3, 1880.

Jay, died in infancy.

Ethel G., b. Nov. 11, 1884, unmarried, residing at Elba, N. Y.

I visited for almost a week at the Edgar and Ethel Lum home during the summer of 1905 and was treated in a way that I shall always remember. One of them rode with me each day, assisting in every way they were able in finding the relatives and necessary records. Ethel looks very much like Ella Florence Pixley did. So much that I believe I should have known who she was had I met her in town or on the streets.

They live some five or six miles from the old Lum farm which Sylvanus bought from the Holland Land Co., when they moved there from Medina. We visited Alfred Ide, then 85 years old and he told us most of the early Lum history and the history of that section. As has been stated, he lived for a time with his grandmother, Hester (Wright) Lum and remembered much of what she had told him regarding where the family had lived and the ancestry.

The following is a statement by Ethel G. Lum, of Elba, N. Y.:

Elba, New York,
January, 1926.

The following is the Lum family record as shown by personal records left by our mother. The records were not kept in a Bible but only on sheets of paper. Those relating to Grandfather John and his father Sylvanus were copied years ago from a family Bible, the property of Hester Lum, widow of Sylvanus, by my mother.

Sylvanus Lum, b. 1773, Williamstown, Mass., married 1800 to Hester Wright in Schoharie County, N. Y. They moved soon after to Lima, Livingstone County, where all the children were born. They moved to Barre, Orleans County, as Sylvanus Sr., died there in 1821. Samuel Ide, now 86, confirms this, as he lived with Hester as a boy.

The children were:

Hannah Lum, b. 1802.
Samuel, b. 1804.
Lewis, b. 1806.
William, b. 1808.
Sylvanus, Jr., 12-12, 1811.
Orpha, b. 5-10, 1813.
Seth, b. 5-8, 1815.
Elizabeth, b. 5-8, 1817.
John, b. 1-22, 1820. Married Sarah Vreeland.

Edgar Lum was my father and the son of John, b. 1-17, 1820. The same records show that Sylvanus Jr, married Mary Bayn here in 1835. E. D. Lum, of Valley City, N. D, who has asked for this statement, is a descendant of Sylvanus, Jr., as we found proof of that in connection with Hester Wright-Lum-Filkins will at Albion, N. Y., which mentioned Ella Pixley, Mr. Lum's aunt.

Regarding the old family Bible of Sylvanus Lum, Sr., the youngest daugther, Elizabeth, is supposed to have secured possession of that at the time of the death of Hester Lum Filkins, but diligent search covering several years by myself and others have failed to locate it.

The above is the true history of the family as I have understood it since a little girl, as told to me by my father and mother and the records as described were copied from the family Bible by my mother according to her statement which I have heard her make many times.

Signed:
Miss Ethel G. Lum,
Post Office Address,
Elba, New York.

Sworn to before me this 9th day of Jan. 1926.
W. H. Cobb, Notary Public.

I am the widow of John Lum. We were married in 1865 and I lived with him until his death in 1903. I have heard him talk of the family and also his mother, Hester. The above statement by Ethel Lum is correct according to my recollection. It has been read to me and fully explained.

Signed:
Mrs. Esther Lum,
Post Office Address,
Morton, New York.

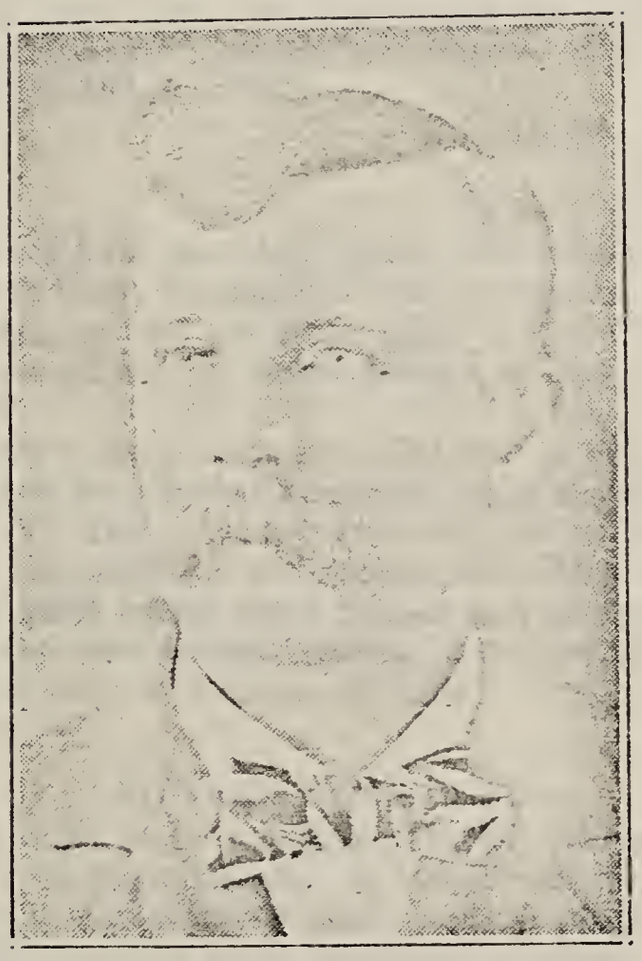
1 SYLVANUS LUM, JR.

Sylvanus Lum was employed on the Nathaniel Bean farm when he married Mary Bean. It appears that for some time after the marriage he worked for his father-in-law, Nathaniel Bean. Along about the time of the marriage the Nathaniel branch changed their name from Bean to Bain and the descendants of Nathaniel, now spell their name Bain, and some of his descendants living near Albion, Mich., are still spelling the name that way.

Sylvanus and Mary Bean later moved to Jackson, Mich., where some of the Bean family had already gone. I have a letter written, as near as can be ascertained, in 1823, a sort of family letter, before envelopes were used, in which Mary Bean writes a part and refers to Sylvanus Lum who is working for them. After the death of Sylvanus in 1872 the widow moved in 1880 to Southern Minnesota and later to Iowa with her sons and a daughter.

At the time Sylvanus died that family were in fair circumstances so that Mary Bean Lum had plenty for her needs until the time of her death at Northwood, Iowa, September 19th, 1904, at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ella Lum Pixley. The children:

Jerusha.



MYRON L. LUM

Edward Denton, b. Albion, Mich., April 9th, 1843, d. Jan. 31, 1907 at Northwood, Iowa.
Eldridge Hilford, b. July 26, 1851, d. Feb. 2, 1915.
Ella Florence, b. Nov. 20, 1854, d. Mar. 8th, 1923.
Alfred killed while in service during Civil War.

COPY MARRIAGE CERTIFICATE
TO ALL WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

This certifies that Sylvanus Lumb of the Town of Batava, in the state of New York, and Mary Bayn of the same place in the State of New York were joined together in Holy Matrimony on this 11 day of Jan. in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and 35.

By Me
James Covel
Minister of the Gospel.

It will be noticed that the name Lum is spelled with a "b." I have heard Mary Lum, our grandmother say often that Sylvanus always spelled his name with a "b." The family, however, never used the "b" so we assume he was the only one who added "b."

The obituary of Seth Lum, who died Dec. 6, 1879 at DeWitt, Iowa, lifted from the DeWitt Observer, gave his birthplace at Bloomfield, N. Y. This is about six miles west of Lima, where the others of his brothers and sisters state they were born. He left a very large estate for a farmer and having no children the property was divided among his relatives, excepting the share which went to Eunice, his wife.

2 EDWARD DENTON LUM

Writing of one's parents, one is naturally inclined to dwell at some length on their virtues. It is but natural that a father is a hero to his children, and to me who knew him so well, father was a man of many wonderful qualities. At the late date, twenty-three years after his death, I often wonder just how far he might have gone had he been given the opportunities of today. A man of outspoken, violent and unreasonable temper at times, he was one of the kindest and most indulgent fathers and friends that ever a boy had. Incapable of any great sin, a tender nurse who loved his family with a devotion never excelled, he left an impression on me that will remain through my life. No man ever understood a son better than Edward Denton Lum or loved his children more.

Edward Denton Lum was married January 1st, 1863 at Clarendon, Mich., to Amelia Vandybogurt at Clarendon, Mich., by Rev. Bain. As a result of their marriage on the first day of the year: New Year's Day was for many years, while the children were young, made much of.

In a letter written January 8th, 1928, Amelia Lum says, "I was married to your father by Rev. Bain, January 1st, 1863, in my own home, in a house your grandfather built entirely with his own hand." She states also that her father and mother were born in York State, in fact I recall Grandmother Juliza (Gary) Vandybogurt telling the children stories of when she lived on Tonowanda Creek in York State and her parents made lye from ashes. At the time this is prepared her mother Juliza (Gary) Vandybogurt's line has not been ascertained, but recently it has been discovered that the Gary family have a name, rather uncommon, Rufus, which also being her brother's name, is likely the same Gary family.

Following the marriage of Edward and Amelia they lived for a time with the groom's parents and later moved onto a small farm about a mile from the Lum homestead. They lived in a log house where the writer was born, as was his sister, Mary A. Myron L., the first born, came while they still lived with the Sylvanus Lum family.

In 1879 the family drove to Glenville, Minnesota, with covered wagons, in company with John and Ella Pixley and their family and others. They were met at Chicago by Mary Bean Lum, who accompanied the wagon train to Iowa. A year later, or in 1880, Eldridge Milford and his family joined them. Two years later the Edward Lum and Pixley families moved to the vicinity of Northwood, Iowa, where they have since resided, those who have not passed away.

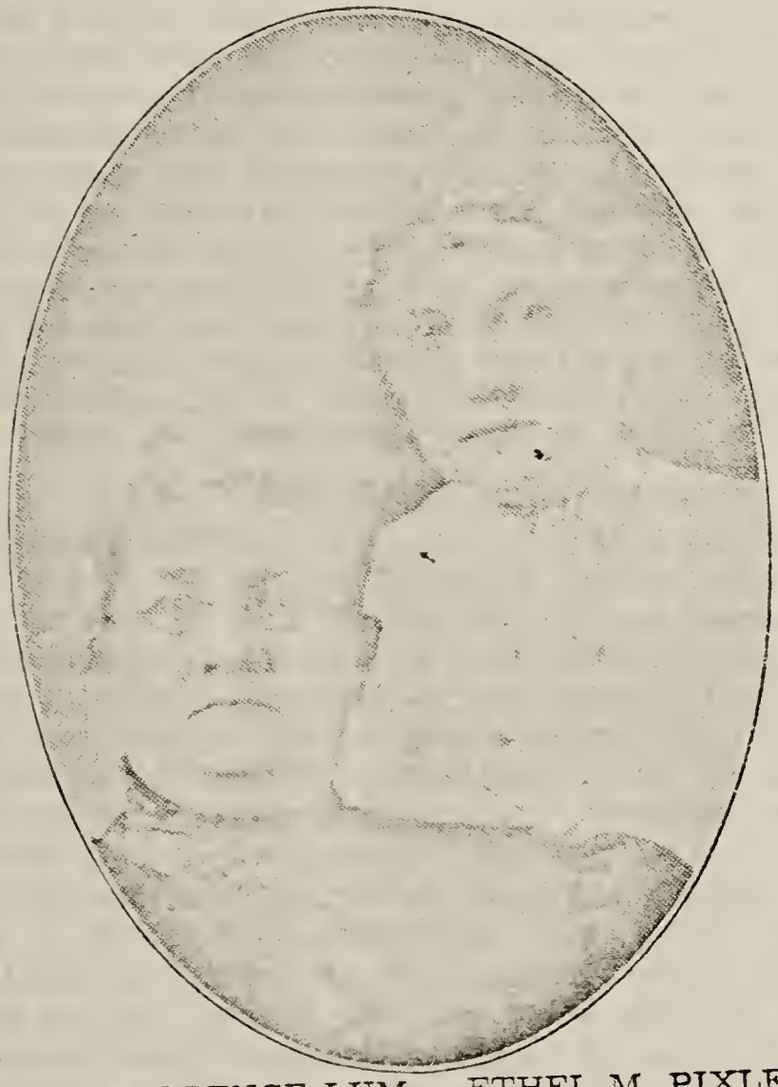
Crossing the Mississippi river at Dubuque on ferry boats was an exciting event for the children and an event much discussed during the succeeding years. Even Herbert Pixley, who was not born until the following year, still remembers as clearly as any of the older children that event, when he crossed the Mississippi on a ferry boat. At least he can describe the trip as accurately as any of us, who really were on the boat.

Edward Denton Lum and his family lived on the farm for some years, or until about 1886, when he moved to Northwood Iowa, and engaged in the livery, draying and ice business which he conducted until the time of his untimely death, which occured January, 31, 1907. Only his wife and sister, Ella, were present at the time of his death. In response to telegrams Myron L. and Elmour D. were hastening home, but were caught in a big blizzard and were unable to reach home until after the funeral. Mary A. was in a hospital at the same time. The I. O. O. F. took charge, however, and helped materially to relieve an unfortunate situation.

The children were:

Myron L., b. October 17, 1863, Clarendon Center, Mich., m. May 31, 1887, Hattie Whitcome, divorced Sept. 4, 1899 and never remarried, d. Sept. 3, 1929.

Mary A., b. Aug. 17th, 1868, Clarendon, Mich., m. to Lewis Linter, Dec. 18, 1887,



ELLA FLORENCE LUM ETHEL M. PIXLEY

Elmour D. Lum, b. Aug. 31, 1871, Clarendon, Mich., m. Edyth Marion Counter, April 10th, 1901. Graceville, Minn.

Like her husband, Amelia Vandybogurt (Van de Bogurt) traces her ancestry back to early in sixteen hundred. Still strong and hearty at the advanced age of 84, she has been a great mother and a great helpmate to her husband. She was a capable housekeeper and a good cook. I recall seeing her get on a binder and drive four horses in the field cutting grain. She loved outside work, when permitted to do so by being relieved of her household duties. It is with a great deal of satisfaction that, as I recall all the years since I came and all the labor and annoyance I have caused my mother and sister, to be able to truthfully say, neither of them, either sister or mother ever in my presence spoke a cross or unkind word to me or ever failed me in any particular. Amelia Vandebogurt was the daughter of Nicholas Paine Vandybogurt and Julia Gary. Nicholas Paine was the son of Nicholas Vandybogurt who died in 1812 at Albion, Orleans Co., N. Y., and Ester Paine. See Vandybogurt section.

2 ELDRIDGE MILFORD LUM

Eldridge Milford Lum, son of Sylvanus and Mary (Bayn) Lum, b. July 26, 1851, in Clarendon Center, Calhoun County, Mich., d. Feb. 20, 1918. M. Feb. 20, 1870, to Martha Jane Colman, daughter of Eli M. and Jane (Mench) Colman, b. Dec. 1, 1850 in Pulsaki township, Jackson County, Mich. The marriage took place at the Methodist parsonage in Homer, Mich. The officiating clergyman was Rev. L. M. Edmonds of the Methodist Conference, M. E. church. Witnesses were Mary E. Edmonds and Kate Edmonds. Eldridge Milford Lum is buried in Forest Lawn Memorial Park, Los Angeles. The grave is No. 1, Victory Section, Lot 546. The marker reads E. Milford Lum, as Milford was the name by which he was known to his family. Mrs. E. M. Lum lives with her daughter at Browndale Park, Minneapolis, Minn. E. Milford Lum, a minister, performed the ceremony at the marriage of each of his children. Their children

ALFRED W. LUM

Alfred W., b. Feb. 28, 1871, at his grandfather's home (Eli Colman) in Litchfield, Mich., m. in 1895 to Ninette Gordon, daughter of Allan and Margaret Gordon. They had one son.

Allan Gordon Lum, b. Dec. 6, 1900 in Traer, Iowa, at his Grandmother Gordon's house.

PEARL MAY LUM

Pearl May, b. April 15, 1873, in Clarendon Center Mich., m. July 31, 1892 to William Sherman Lindsley, son of Lucian and Seraph (Graves) Lindsley, at her father's home in Nashville, Martin County, Minn. They had one child.

Norma, b. Dec. 20, 1905, d. in infancy.

BERTHA LUM

Bertha L., b. June 28, 1875 near Litchfield, Mich., m. Nov. 7th, 1896 to Albert L. Daughtery, son of Robert and Anna Jane (Lawrence) Daugherty, at her father's home in Rushmore, Minn. Their children were:

Celia Margarete, b. May 23, 1898, m. in 1918 to Donald Stocill in Mankato, Minn. Their children are:

Delvin, a son, and Jean, a daughter.

Ross Winfield, b. May 7th, 1901, m. to Lillian..... They had one child, Darleen.

Iva Beese, b. Feb. 20, 1903, d. Feb. 20, 1908. Buried at Rushmore, Minn.

Dale Douglas, b. Sept. 23, 1910.

S. E. LUM

S. E., b. May 15, 1879 in Albion, Mich., d. Feb. 12, 1912 m. Daisy Thompson. They had no children. He is buried in Mount Muncie Cemetery, Leavenworth, Kansas.

ELLA FLORENCE LUM

Ella Florence Lum was born Nevember 20th, 1854 at Clarendon, Mich. She was married to John Pixley at Hillsdale, Michigan, January 5th, 1870. They lived for a time with her parents and later in their own home at or near what was known as Bentley's Corners, until they came west in the wagon train in 1879. Aunt Ella was capable to an unusual degree of getting joy out of life. If she ever worried she never appeared to show it. She was a splendid cook and always had good things to eat as any of her nephews and nieces can testify.

John and Ella Pixley appear to have made a success of life and to have been happy in all their married years.

William H., b. Feb. 4, 1871, Clarendon, Mich., m. March 20, 1894 to Mary (Mamie) Dixon, of Northwoo, Iowa.

Royce S., b. Dec. 16th, 1877, Clarendon, Mich., m. Hattie Boen.

Herbert J., b. Feb. 23, 1880, Glenville, Minn.

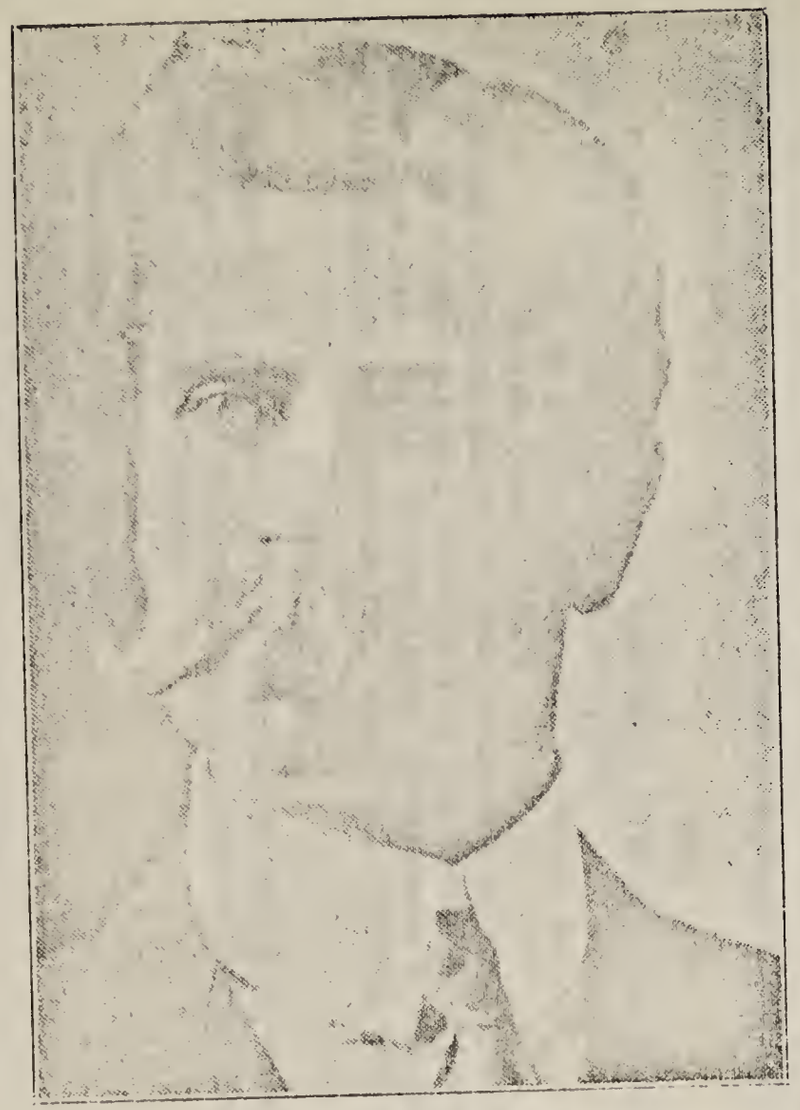
Jesse F., b. Oct. 16th, 1884.

Ethel M., b. March 5th, 1891.

WM. H. PIXLEY

William H. Pixley is farming near Northwood. Iowa. They have three children, Lynn, b. March 2, 1895, twins, Glen and Gladys, b. Aug. 23, 1899.

The following statement was prepared by Ella (Lum) Pixley before her death as the date indicates and was prepared to strengthen the proof of Sylvanus connections. Since then more proof has been found than was available when the certified statement was prepared.



ALFRED W. LUM

ALLEN GORDON LUM

CERTIFIED STATEMENT

Northwood, Iowa, July 14, 1922.

My name previous to my marriage was Ella Lum. I was born at Clarendon, Mich., Nov. 20, 1854. Was married to John Pixley, Jan. 15th, 1870.

Sylvanus Lum, my father, b. Lima, N. Y., Aug. 23, 1810, d. Oct. 19, 1872, buried at Albion, Mich., and married

Mary Bayne (Bean) in 1835, died Sept. 19, 1894, buried at Northwood, Iowa.

Sylvanus Charles, born at Williamstown, Berkshire Co., Mass., in 1773 and d. 1821 and was buried, Barre, Orleans Co., N. Y., on his farm.

Sylvanus C., father of Sylvanus, born in 1810.

Hester Wright (Sylvanus, Sr.'s wife) born 1777 and died in same place in 1865 I recall distinctly when my grandmother Lum died. The children viz:

Hanna, b. 1802, Samuel 1804, William 1808, Sylvanus (my father) 1810, Orpha 1813, Seth 1815, Elizabeth 1817, John 1820, who lived and died at Elba, N. Y.

The family always talked a great deal about New Milford, Conn., although I have no recollections of any of the family going back.

Elmour D. Lum gave me a copy of the records as compiled by him, and I believe they are correct; insofar as the male line is concerned and I believe there would have been ample proof but for the fire which destroyed our home.

My aunt Orpha lived near us in Michigan and at various times I have met others of the aunts and uncles and have heard them discuss the family history.

Ella Pixley.

Subscribed in my presence and sworn to before me by the said Ella Pixley this 14th day of July, 1922.

M. H. Kepler, Notary Public within and for Worth County, Iowa.

Since the above statement was made several have joined the Sons of the American Revolution on the Sylvanus and Andrew Lum line. Edyth Marion (Lum) Bystrom is a member of the Daughters of the American Revolution on this record.

ROYCE PIXLEY

Royce S., b. Dec. 16, 1877, at Clarendon, Mich., m. Hattie Boen June 28, 1905, at Northwood, Iowa. Living at Fargo. Decoration contractor. Children:

Lloyd John, b. Aug. 15, 1907.
Vern James, b. Sept. 15, 1909.
Earl Roy, b. Aug. 10th, 1911.
Leslie Boen, b. May 2, 1915.
Leighton, b. March 6, 1917, d. March 6, 1920.
Charles Wilton, b. March 3, 1919.

Hattie Boen was the daughter of James Boen, England and Margaret Turbett.

HERBERT J. PIXLEY

Herbert J. Pixley was b. Glenville, Minnesota Feb. 23, 1880, married Effie M. McQuatters. b. Aug. 15, 1880, Nov. 20, 1903 Northwood, Iowa. Children are:

Clayton, b. April 18, 1904.

Claus R., b. April 27, 1918.

The family lived at Northwood, Iowa, where Herbert is agent at the Rock Island depot.

MYRON L. LUM

Was born Oct. 17th, 1863 at Clarendon Center, Mich. He was married May 31st, 1887 to Hattie Whitcome. He followed the carpenter trade and lived, with the exception of a year or two which he spent on a claim in South Dakota, at Northwood, Iowa.

Viola Iowa was born May 30th, 1891. She lived most of her school years with her grandparents, Edward and Amelia Lum and developed into a lovely woman. She married Emil Urdahl, of Northwood, Iowa, where they still reside and are engaged in merchandising. No children.

MARY A. LUM

Mary A. Lum like her brothers was born in Clarendon, Center, Michigan, Aug. 17th, 1868. She was married December 18th, 1887 to Lewis Linter, born, Minden, N. Y., July 5th, 1860. They were married in the Lum family home at Northwood, Iowa.

After a trip to eastern points they bought a farm three miles north of Northwood, where their children were all born and where they still reside. Their children are:

Anna Mae, b. Aug. 12th, 1890. Educated herself and is now principal of a grade school at Sioux Falls, South Dakota.

Idella Pearl, b. Jan. 29th, 1895, m. June 27th, 1917, to Oliver Turbet.

Albert Lewis, b. May 15th, 1898, m. Aug. 29th, 1923 to Anna Bakken. He farms near the homestead. Is active in various co-operative farmers organizations.

Clarence Eugene, b. Feb. 15th, 1900. In produce business at Northwood.

Kathryn Lindsley, b. Jan. 5, 1902. Trained nurse, now stationed at Rock Island, Ill.

IDELLA PEARL LINTER

Idella Pearl Linter, b. January 29, 1895, at Northwood, Ia., on the farm where the family have lived since the marriage of Lewis Linter and Mary Amelia Lum. She was educated at the

Grove school and the Northwood high school. She m. Oliver Turbet, a farmer, June 27th, 1917. They live on a farm near Northwood and have two daughters, lovely little ladies. They are:

Doris Mary, b. October 24, 1918 at Glenville, Minnesota.
Marguerite Dean, b. January 17, 1920.

3 ELMOUR DENTON LUM

Born August, 31st, 1871 at Clarendon, Michigan, m. April 10th, 1901, Graceville, Minnesota to Edyth Marion Counter, a daughter of Herbert W. Counter and Emma (Fuller) Counter. After their marriage they lived at Graceville for two years and then in Minneapolis for a few months before going to North Dakota, where they have since resided at various times at Litchville, Kensal, Carrington, Monango, Valley City, Mayville, Luverne, Minn., Grand Forks, and Wahpeton. See Fuller section for Edyth Marion Counter. The children are:

Edward Donald, b. Jan. 23, 1903 at Graceville, Minnesota, m. Blanche Donaldson, October 15, 1925.

Edyth Marion, b. March 4, 1905, m. May 27, 1928 to Lyden R. Bystrom.

Douglas Eldon, b. May, 25, 1907, Carrington, N. D., now living at home with family.

Edyth Counter was teaching school at the time of her marriage to Elmour D. Lum, who was selling machinery, lumber and buying and selling livestock. Perhaps some of our posterity may be curious to know what we did just as we would love to know the facts of just how our grandfathers lived.

Being churchly inclined when Edyth was teaching in Prior, Bigstone County, she made up the writers mind to take her to Clinton to church one Sunday evening and from there to her school. Everything went lovely. When Clinton was reached the team was driven to a livery barn and the liveryman instructed to unhitch them. It is self evident that the liveryman had been drinking for on returning after church for the team, he declared he had seen no team. A team was hired, the teacher delivered but when the team left at Clinton were recovered they were by the barn at Graceville and the stable man had discovered them. It is still a joke repeated at Graceville in connection with courtship days.

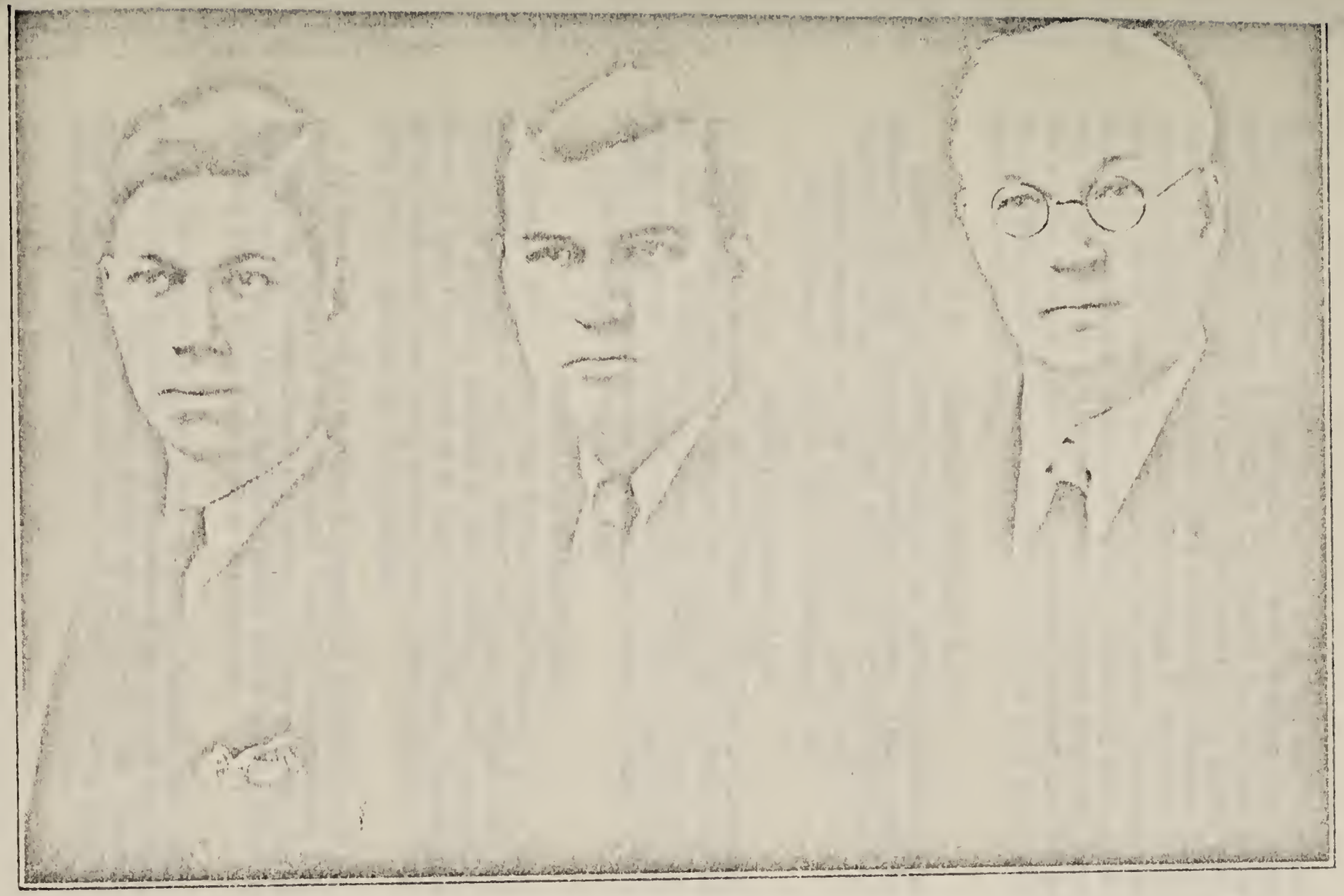
One of my earliest recollections is old Broad and Bright, a yoke of oxen which father owned. Then going to town with mother in grandfather's "Van's" buggy, and driving Morgan, the horse. An exciting event, a part of that trip, was losing mother in the traffic at Litchfield, and I can still recall screaming at the top of my voice for the lost mother. Then in 1879, father left the family in Michigan and in company with uncle John Pixley and Henry Born, the latter two but recently deceased, they went to Minnesota to look the country over before we moved there. Then later, the same fall, that

trip with covered wagons to Glenville, Minnesota, where we lived for a year before going to Iowa, where mother still lives with a sister Mary when not with us. The years appeared to have passed rapidly, with going to school in a rural school, moving to town and attending school in town at the age of about 14. Starting in at an early age to trade horses, later to build quite a reputation as a horse dealer and judge of horses while still young. It must have been about 1885 that I, with Cousin Alfred W. Lum, started following the fair circuits and for at least ten falls I did not miss a season that I was not buying concessions and operating mostly a hot candy stand with such other lines as appeared to offer a money-making opportunity for 4 to 6 weeks each fall.

In 1894 I joined A. W. Lum in compiling Plat Books of some central Iowa counties and remained in that section of the state until going to Graceville, Minnesota, in 1899. Nature endowed me with some quality which always made it possible for me to handle the most vicious horses with little or no trouble and shortly after reaching Graceville, where I had contracted as a salesman and collector, a man came to town with a pair of good looking mustangs which he wished to dispose of as they were unbreakable. I was given permission to trade for them with the understanding that I must break them.

It was two weeks before I finally got a chance to hitch the "broncs" withouthaving an audience and when I did so and drove them to the office under perfect control, as a matter of fact they were not naturally vicious, I had made for myself a considerable reputation as a horse man. From then on I bought and sold for the concern I was with, hundreds of horses. The following four years I was in the farm implement hardware, harness and collecting business before abandoning all that for the newspaper brokerage business.

As the horse went out, we saw his going with deep regret and in 1911 owned our last driving horses. Perhaps even in a book, supposed to be genealogical in character, a brief story of this horse may be interesting to someone after the horse, as a servant of man, has passed. Our last horse was led into town by a Syrian or Greek. He stated the horse was an outlaw, that he would bite, kick, run away and balk. A deal was finally made and the horse became our property. He was turned in the yard loose and while he really was ugly and vicious, within a month Donald, then so short he was unable to reach the floor of the buggy with his feet, was driving the horse home from the office alone and the animal was a great family pet, entering into the spirit of friendship and good will as heartily as the family dog. One of my early exper-



DOUGLAS ELDON LUM EDWARD DONALD LUM ELMOUR D. LUM

iences with horses, which will always be a pleasant recollection, occurred down in Michigan. I was visiting my good uncle, Charles "Van" and about the second day, wishing to go somewhere, he suggested that he had heard I was handy with horses and having a kicking mare, a beautiful chestnut four-year-old, said if I would break the animal I might have the use of it while down there. With no difficulty I hitched the animal to a cart and cousin Lilly nearly frightened her mother out of her wits by mounting the cart with me when we went for a ride with an animal which appeared to have decided to be a modest, well-behaved roadster, for so far as I know she never attempted to kick.

4 EDWARD DONALD LUM

Edward Donald Lum was born at Graceville, Minnesota, January 23, 1903. He was married October 15th, 1925 to Blanche Donaldson at Osakis, Minnesota. Their children are:

Phyllis Marion, b. July 2nd, 1926 at Valley City, N. D.

Merna Jean, b. Sept. 3, 1928, Wahpeton, N. D.

4 EDYTH MARION LUM

Edyth Marion Lum was born March 4th, 1905 at Litchville, North Dakota. She was married May 27, 1928 at the home of her parents, Wahpeton, to Lyden R. Bystrom, of Tower, Minn., where they reside. She was teaching at Tower previous to her marriage, after completing almost four years of college work.

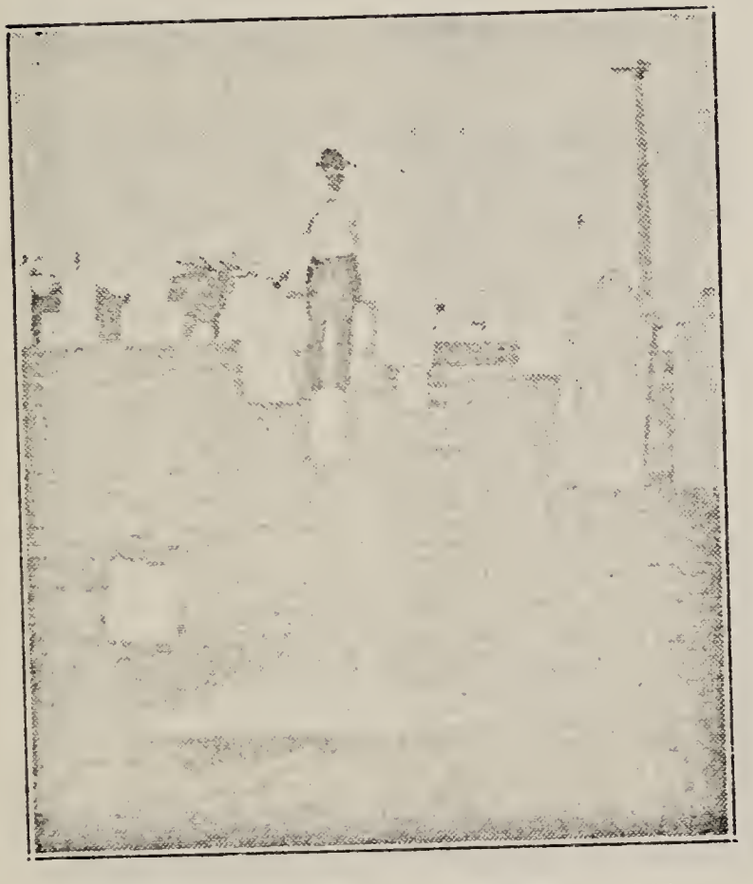
Edyth Marion, b. March 30, 1929

4 DOUGLAS ELDON LUM

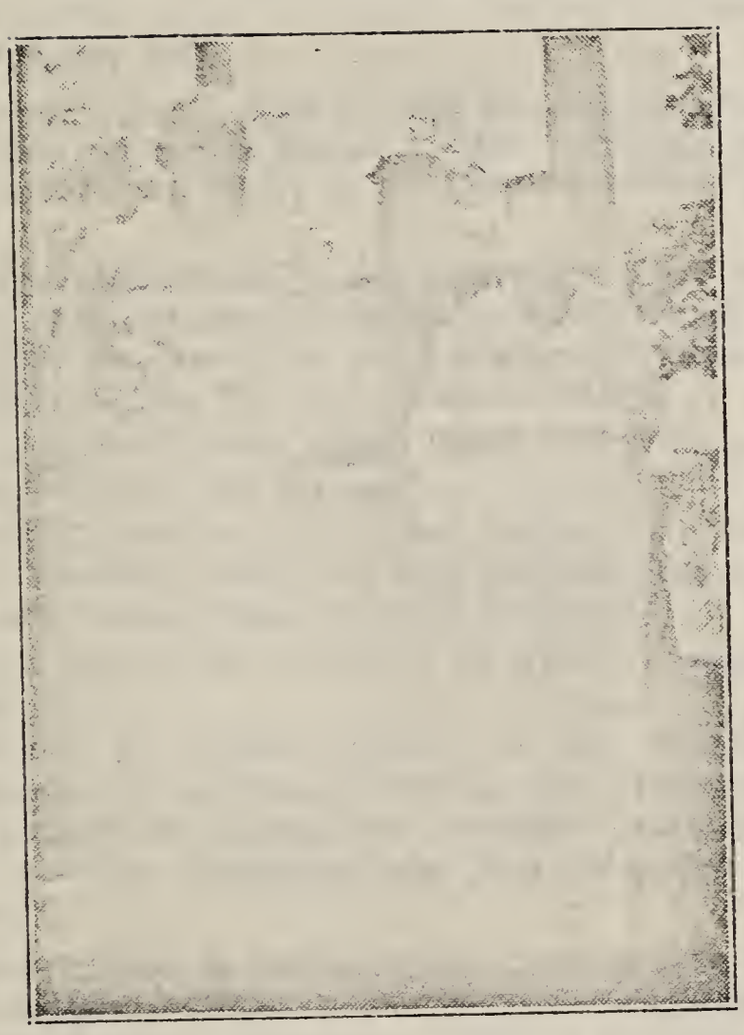
Douglas Eldon Lum was born at Carrington, N. D., May 25th, 1907. Eldon is still at home, being associated with his father and brother, Donald in the printing and publishing business under the name of E. D. Lum and Sons. Donald and Eldon each took two years college work after graduating from high school, specializing in journalism.

At the time this is written E. Donald is Editorial and Advertising manager of the Richland County Farmer-Globe and D. Eldon is business manager. They are both practical printers, either being able to handle rapidly work usually done in printing offices, either editorial or mechanical.

At the time this page goes to press, January 15th, 1930, the living male descendants of Sylvanus Lum Jr. are Roy Lum, of Elba, N. Y., unmarried: Alfred W. Lum, of Los Angeles, California and his son, Gordon, and Elmour D. Lum and his sons, Donald and Eldon.



BEAN BURIAL LOT NORTH OF BATAVIA, N. Y.
Roy Lum standing in the foreground.



ALFRED IDE ESTER LUM

Alfred Ide is a son of Elizabeth Lum and Ester Lum is the widow of John Lum, 1820. Mr. Ide lives at Medina, N. Y., and Mrs. Lum at Morton. The picture was taken when Mrs. Lum and the author called at the Ide home.

EDWARD RIGGS

Savage, in his Genealogical Dictionary of New England, Vol. 3, page 541, says that:

Edward Riggs was of Roxbury, Mass., in 1633 brought wife Elizabeth and children Elizabeth and Lydia with him. Elizabeth died young, a son John died young and his wife Elizabeth died in October 1634.

He married second, April 5, 1636, Elizabeth Rooke, who died in 1669, he was buried March 5, 1672. His will dated Sept. 2, 1670, names son, Edward, as deceased leaving widow and children

Edward Riggs, (son of the preceding) was of Milford, Conn., in 1640 was born in England; had perhaps John and Samuel, and was one of the early settlers of Paugasuck, afterwards Derby, Conn., but died before his father.

The history of Derby, Conn. (1880) by Orcutt and Beardsley, states on pages 753, 754 that:

EDWARD RIGGS came to this country from England and settled at Roxbury, Mass., had wife, two sons and four daughters, his son Edward being 19 or 20 years old.

Within three years he buried his wife, son, John and two daughters.

EDWARD (2) RIGGS, married in 1635, Elizabeth Roosa was a sergeant in the Pequot War, in 1637, and greatly distinguished himself in rescuing his commander and twelve companions from an ambuscade and was thereafter known as "Sergeant."

In 1646 he was in Milford, Conn., and in 1654 was one of the first settlers of Derby, Conn., formerly Paugasuck, some of which land is still in possession (1880) of the Riggs descendants.

This first Riggs house is said to have been the one where Whalley and Goffee, the judges of Charles I, took refuge in 1661, as recorded by Pres. Stiles in his history of those two men. "In being protector of those refugees, the Riggs family will bear lasting honors by true lovers of constitutional liberty."

Edward Riggs remained here until 1666 when he moved to Newark, New Jersey, being one of the committe to select the site for the planation. His wife, Elizabeth, was the only woman there the first summer. His children, with the exception of Samuel removed with him.

Ensign SAMUEL (3) RIGGS, married first, June 14, 1667, Sarah Baldwin, daughter of Richard Baldwin of Milford, Conn. After her death he married second, May 6, 1713, Mrs. Sarah Washborn.

He was representative from the town for several years, was justice of the peace in 1708 and held many offices. He built the first house in the neighborhood of the present town of Seymour. In 1690, he was ensign of the trainband of Derby. His daughter, Sarah Riggs, born May 4, 1674, married JONATHAN LUM, who was one of the Derby men who in 1696, granted land to Dr. Josiah Baldwin, to induce him to settle in that place.

In the above records some discrepancies will be noted one record states that the father married as second wife, Elizabeth Rooke, while another record states she married the son, Edward, though calling her "Roosa."

The will of Samuel Riggs of Derby, New Haven County Colony of Conn., was dated November 13, 1732.

He mentions his wife Sarah.

Son John Riggs.

My three granddaughters of my son, Edward Riggs, of Derby, deceased, viz: Grace Smith, Abigail Durand and Hesther Riggs.

My three daughters, Elizabeth Bassett, Sarah Lum and to the heirs of my daughter Mary Harger, of Stratford, deceased, each one-third part of certain lands in Quaker farm purchase, on both sides of Naugatuck River, on Sentinel Hill, etc.

To grandson, Samuel Riggs.

To two grandsons, sons of Ebenezer Riggs, of Derby, deceased, viz: Ebenezer and John Riggs.

Grandson Samuel Bassett.

Son Jonathan Lum to be executor.

Daughter Sarah Lum.

Jonathan Lum, named as executor of last will of Samuel Riggs, late of Derby, deceased, exhibited the will at a court of probate held in New Haven, March 8, 1733-4.

Inventory was taken at Derby Aug. 4, 1758.

Order for distribution of the estate was given March 21, 1759.

To the legal representaive of the six children, which six children were:

John Riggs.

Ebenezer Riggs

Edward Riggs.

Sarah Lum

Elizabeth Bassett

Hannah Harger. all now deceased.

Distribution made in which there was set out to heirs of

Sarah Lum "a single share in the Fourth Division Lot in the Second Ter, on the west side of Naugatuck River bounded south by land set out to Elizabeth Bassett, also a share in the Second Division lot or Rimmon Hill bounded by Elizabeth Bassett's land.

(Probate Court Records, New Haven, Conn.; Vol. 6, part 1, pps. 133, 161. Vol. 9, pps. 236, 294-5).

1 JOHN BEAN

John Bean, the Immigrant, was of Scottish descent and perhaps born in Scotland. He was a Presbyterian and undoubtedly was one of those, or a son of one of those, who left Scotland in order to enjoy his religious belief without persecution. However, about all that is known concerning his previous history is by inference from what we know of him after his arrival, aided by tradition.

He had settled in Exeter as early as 1660, for on January twenty-first of the following year, a grant of land was made to him by that town; other grants were made to him Oct. 10, 1664, April 1, 1671 and Feb. 21, 1698; John Ted of Exeter also conveyed to him, by deed, dated July 10, 1664, acknowledged July 22, 1664, but not recorded until May 25, 1719 (and not indexed), land in Exeter consisting of a house lot of twenty acres, and other lots containing ten, five and twenty-six acres respectively. Book XI, p. 4.

In 1671, he was one of a committee chosen to run the lines between Exeter and adjoining towns; he took the oath of allegiance, Nov. 30, 1677; he was assessed in the "Province rate" for Exeter made April 20, 1680, eight shillings and a penny; and was pound keeper the same year; he signed the famous New Hampshire Petition of 1689-90. He was married before he came to this country, but the name of his wife and date of his marriage have not been ascertained; the tradition is (and other facts support it) that she died on the voyage and that, after his arrival here, he married a Scottish-Irish girl who came over in the same vessel with him. The date of this second marriage is not known, but it was in 1660, or about that date; nor her full name known, but her given name was Margaret. Margaret Bean joined the Hampton church in 1671; among those who were dismissed from Hampton church, Sept. 11, 1698, "in order to their being incorporated into a church state in Exeter," was "Goodwife Bean" and Margaret Bean was one of those who organized the church in 1698. She was living and a member of the Exeter church in 1705; the date of her death is unknown, but it preceded that of her husband.

He died in 1718, between January 24 and February 8, as is shown by deeds, to be mentioned presently. He and his wife were undoubtedly buried in the yard of the old church in Exeter in which our first reunion was held; undoubtedly all traces of their graves disappeared long ago, and the more recent filling of the yard to raise its surface has nearly obliterated all the marks of his old burial place.

No complete record of his children is extant; and it was not till the very recent discovery of the record of a deed that the full list of the names of his children was ascertained and

errors, previously made, corrected; and even now the correct place of one of them in the list is not known.

Among old court files in the State Library at Concord, N. H., are two affidavits of John Bean which were made in 1694 stating that he was 60 years old. This places his birth in 1634. Without doubt, John Bean (Baine) married Hannah Lisson in 1654, their children were:

Mary, b. 1655, m. Joel Judkins.
Henry, b. 1657, d. 1662-3.
Hannah, b. 1659, Mrs. Whittaker killed by Indians in 1692. Wife of Abraham Whitaker.

There seems to be no doubt that John Bean and his three motherless children came to Exeter, N. H., in 1660 to be near the family of his father-in-law, Nicholas Lisson. He had previously lived in "old Norfolk County" where the records give the birth of two of his children.

After coming to Exeter he found a new wife, Margaret, and reestablished his home. Children of John and Margaret:

John 1st, b. 1661, d. 1666.
Daniel, b. 1662-3, wife Mary.
Samuel, b. 1665, wife Mary.
John 2nd, b. 1668, wife Sarah.

Margaret, b. 1670, m. William Taylor. d. 1755, survived by wife.

James, b. Dec. 17, 1672, wife, 1st,..... Coleman, 2nd, 1697, Sarah Bradley, b. 1677.

Jeremiah, b. 1675, married Ruth; he died about 1727, she about 1758.

Elizabeth, b. 1678, m. John Sinkler, he d. 1731.
Catherine, b. about 1680. Twelve children in all. Catherine Dolloff.

On May 30th, 1735, twenty years after death of his father, James, the sixth son of John, Sr., conveyed to his youngest brother, Jeremiah, "Ye eleventh part of all ye real estate of by Honored Father, John Bean, late of Exeter, Deceased."

His father had twelve children, but two had died in childhood, leaving ten, but as the law practice of those days required that the eldest son should have a double share, estates were always divided into more portions by one than there were persons to share them so that each should have one share and the eldest son an extra one. As there were ten children living or represented at his death to divide any real estate

that might be coming to him, there would, necessarily be eleven shares and James sold his one eleventh to Jeremiah, who very likely thought he had discovered some real estate coming to his father. Thus we are sure of the number of children and all are accounted for.

It is not known who the Margaret was who was the second wife of John Bean and the mother of nine of his children.

2 JAMES BEAN

James Bean (John) was born in Exeter, Dec. 17, 1672. The name of his first wife is not known but there is good reason to believe that it was ..... Coleman. He maried Dec. 1697, Sarah Bradley, born in 1677 as his second wife; she died July 17, 1738. He married for his third wife, widow Mary Prescott, Coleman, Crosby; she died in 1740-41 and he Jan. 6th, 1753.

Children by his first wife, born in Exeter:
John.
Edward.
Children by his second wife, b. in Kingston:
Benjamin, b. May 15, 1699.
Margaret, b. April 16, 1702.
Joseph, b. Oct. 17, 1704.
Jeremiah, b. April 9, 1707.
Samuel, b. Jan. 11, 1710-11.
Catherine, b. Aug. 2, 1714.
Rachel.

James Bean was a member of Kingston church when "Rev. Mr. Ward Clark took charge of the church, viz, Sept. ye 29, 1725," and "Sarah Bean, James' wife," was admitted February 6, 1726.

The town of Exeter granted to him thirty acres of land Febr'y 21, 1698, and he became quite an extensive land owner in Kingston.

Among deeds made by James is one dated March 7, 1716 of land in Kingston, to son Edward, of Exeter, (B. IX, p. 386); one dated June 9, 1729 of land in Kingston to son, Samuel Bean of Kingston (B XVI, p. 532; one dated Nov. 30, 1730 of land in Kingston "to my well beloved son, Joseph Bean of Kingston, (B XXI, p. 57); and one dated Aug. 5, 1731 of land in Exeter to my well beloved son, Benjamin Bean of Eastham, Mass. (B XVIII, p. 74).

Elizabeth Bean, daughter of John, m. John Sinkler, they had a daughter, Abigal.

Catherine Bean, daughter of John, m. Richard Dolliff; they had a daughter Abigal.

3 JOHN BEAN

(1) John Bean, (2) James, (3) John, (4) Sinkler (5) Nathaniel, (6) Nathaniel, (7) Mary Lum.

John Bean, son of James and .....Coleman Bean and grandson of John Bean, was born in Exeter in 1693. His wife's name was Sarah. She may have been a Sinkler. He died in 1747, his wife having died before him. Their children born in Exeter were:

Joshua, born 1713, married 1st, Hannah Robertson of Exeter; 11 children; 2nd, Lydia Brown, 10 children.
Sinkler, m. Shuah Fifield July 18, 1739, he d. Feb. 21, 1793.
Nathaniel.
Mary (or Mercy).

4 SINKLER BEAN

Sinkler Bean, second son of John Bean and wife Sarah, moved from Brentwood to Boscawen (Contoocook) in 1734 and to Salisbury in 1766. He built a log house on the west side the Blackwater river, near the Fitz meadow. With the exception of the Maloon family, he was the first settler west of Blackwater. It is said of him that he was a man of decided moral principles, and his influence was always on the side of religion and good citizenship. He was a Quaker and often held service. He was the first town clerk, after the incorporation of the town and held office four years. He gave the land for the Bean cemetery on what was called Bean Hill, and was on the committee to locate the meeting house in Boscawen in 1767. He was an elder in the church. He was a weaver by trade. One authority says Sinkler and Shuah Fifield Bean had thirteen children. The "History of Salisbury" states that Nathaniel born Nov. 21, 1761 was the 12th child of Sinkler and Shuah Fifield Bean. Sinkler Bean was born in Brentwood. Above history also states that Sinkler Bean did not sign the "test" but further states that it does not appear that he was unfriendly to the cause for he was often at this time trusted with Town business and aided in supplying the demands of the army. It is reported that he was a Quaker. Page 57 his name appears in list of Proprietary officers, P. 69 as signer of Articles of Association, P. 150 Sinkler Bean signed Covenant. P. 254 Elder Sinkler Bean's name is on the Alarm List. It is on this service that lineage Paper is accepted by D. A. R. Pearl May Lum Lindsley has supplemental paper on Sinkler Bean line.

Children of Sinkler and Shuah Fifield Bean:
Abigal, b. Aug. 9, 1740.
Mary, b. Nov. 27, 1742, m. Joshua, son of Joshua Bean

Nov. 27, 1763, d. Dec. 8, 1832.
Shuah, b. Feb. 19, 1745.
Beniah, b. Sept. 14, 1747.
Phineas, b. Sept. 1, 1750.
John, b. Sept. 9, 1752, m. Sally Foster.
Martha, b. April 2, 1755, d. Oct. 20, 1756.
Martha, b. June 12, 1757.
Sarah, b. Sept. 27, 1759.
Mehitable Nathaniel, b. Nov. 21, 1761, m. Benjamin Fifield, d. June 11, 1829, Surrogate Ct. record.

5 NATHANIEL BEAN

Nathaniel, the 12th child of Sinkler and Shuah Bean, was born in New Hampshire and married wife Mary there, where also the first three of his children were born. Their children were:

Prudence, remained in N. H., lived in Concord, m. Whitcomb.

Mary, wife of Leander McCain, both buried on Hill Top.

Nathaniel Bean, b. Aug. 15, 1791, d. Aug. 24, 1860, m. Abigal Bean.

Mehitable Bean, m. Cranmore, both buried at Spring Arbor, Mich.

Sinkler Bean.

Sarah Bean, married Gray, buried in Albion, husband buried in Hill Top on McCain farm.

Moses, b. in 1808-9, came to Michigan in 1830, located farm, moved family to Mich. in June, 1831.

Mary, wife of Nathaniel died before her husband, as no mention is made of her by her son who was administrator of his father's estate. Nathaniel was a soldier in the Revolutionary war with service as follows: from Bureau of Pensions, Survivor's File No. 44619, Rev. war:

Enlisted July 13, 1778 to March 1780. Capt. Nathan Dix, Col. James Wesson, James Mellon, 9th Mass.

Mar. 29, 1780 to June 8, 1783, Capt. Benjamin Ellis; Col. Joseph Cilley; Henry Dearborn, 1st. N. H.

Residence of soldier during the war was Salisbury, N. H. Date of application for Pension was April 16, 1818. His claim was allowed. Residence at date of application was Batavia, Genesee Co., N. Y. Stated he was 57 years old. In 1820 soldier mentions his wife Mary, aged 56 years, and children. Sarah 12 and Moses 9 years. Last payment of pension was made to

Mar. 4, 1829, $8 per month. At this time pensioner had resided in Elba two years and previously in Batavia, Genesee Co., N. Y.

6 NATHANIEL BEAN JR.

Nathaniel, eldest son of Nathaniel and Mary Bean married Abigal Bean. Their children were:

Nathaniel, m. Orpha Lum.
Benair.
Mary, m. Sylvanus Lum 1835.
Alvira.
William.
Julia
Stephen.
Henry
Jerusha
Martha
Alfred
Albert

7 MARY (BEAN) BAYNE

Mary, daughter of Nathaniel and Abigal Bean was born Feb. 20, 1817. Grew to womanhood in Batavia, N. Y., and there married Sylvanus Lum in 1835. Mary and her brother Nathaniel had a double wedding.

Children of Mary and Sylvanus Lum were:

Jerusha, b. Feb. 26, 1836, d. Dec. 27, 1852.
William H., b. Oct. 7, 1837, d. Aug. 6, 1838.
George D., b. Nov. 15, 1839, d. Mar. 28, 1841.
Edward D., b. April 4, 1843, d. Jan. 30, 1907.
Alfred W., b. Aug. 28, 1847, d. Dec. 21 1865. Killed in U. S. service.
Martha E., b. Feb. 28, 1849, d. Sept. 20, 1853.
Eldridge Milford, b. July 26, 1851, d. Feb. 20, 1918.
Ella Florence, b. Nov. 20, 1854, d. Mar. 8, 1923.

The Beans born in western New York were inclined to boast of their family coat of arms and to claim extraordinary virtues for the family, but we of this generation are not greatly interested in from where they came, other than to know they were honest and worthy. While the name Bean has not appeared in history as often as the name of .. Two lines

The ax and the gun has ever been in the hands of the family since the first John Bean landed in America. They have preached the word of God in every state in the union. They have been fearless in their stand for God and their country. No man with Bean blood need be ashamed of that fact.

In a speech delivered at Manchester, N. H., August 31st. 1898, Dearborn G. Bean told of finding the family coat of arms with Aaron H. Bean, said to be that of the first John of Whom Mary Bean, who married Sylvanus Lum, Jr., was a

direct descendant. He said, "I asked Mr. Bean how he came by it, and he said, 'My father died when I was six years old. My mother at a proper time gave me my father's papers and that was among them. Also the coat of arms of Donald, the father of the first John and the Mark Master Masons Mark of his father, Aaron. On all was the wolf's head in the same form.' "

There is no doubt that Daniel Webster was a descendant of John Bean. Any attempt, however, to follow out the female lines and ascertain just who may be descendants of the original John Bean in America, would be an undertaking impossible to perform, but sufficient that we know many of his ancestors have achieved both fame and riches.

Albion, Mich., Record

History says that the first settlement in Jackson county was started July 3, 1829, on the banks of Grand river, the present site of the city of Jackson. History also records that Moses Bean came from the east in 1830 and took up land in Spring Arbor township and that Oct. 17, 1831, there was born to Moses Bean and wife a son. That son, Ambrose Bean, is said to have been the first white boy born in Jackson county.

Today, Ambrose Bean, hale and hearty, still able to do the milking and other work, and interested in all the news of the community and outside world, boasts of being the oldest native born resident in Jackson county. By eight years his birth antedates that of Gilbert V. Welch, the Henritta township farmer, whose life story recently appeared in The Citizen Patriot.

Ambrose Bean was born 89 years ago last October on the farm that his father took up from the government in 1830. This farm is situated about four miles from Jackson on the Spring Arbor road, and it remained in the Bean family until about 25 years ago when it was purchased by John Robison.

Mr. Bean now lives on a farm adjoining the old homestead, at McCain's Corners, and hundreds of motorists are familiar with the sight of the old gentleman at this point, who may be seen in front of the house on the warm summer days and who always has a courteous answer to all their questions.

Mr. Bean enjoys conversing on any subject. He is able to do the milking and take care of his stock, and he is never happier than when relating stories of the pioneer days of Jackson county.

On his hand is a scar, a memento of an encounter many years ago with a bear, in which he won first honors, capturing Bruin. He has always lived a temperate life, never having used tobacco or liquor, and he declares that he owes his long life and health to this abstinence from nicotine and alcohol.

FIFIELD-WEBSTER

1 Thomas and Margery Webster

County of Norfolk, St. Michael Parish Register. (Eng.) Thomas Webster was buried April 30th, 1634. Margery married William Godfrey.

2 Thomas Webster and Sarah Brewer Webster

Thomas baptized at Ormsby Nov. 20, 1631, married Sarah Brewer Nov. 2, 1657, died at Hampton Jan. 5, 1715. 85 years, 1 month, 16 days after baptism.

3 Thomas Webster Jr. and wife Sarah

Thomas Webster Jr., born Jan. 20, 1665, died March 7, 1773 at Kingston. Wife Sarah died Feb. 15, 1718.

4 Mary Webster

Mary Webster was born May 19, 1696, married John Fifield Aug. 16, 1716. She was his second wife.

5 Shuah Fifield

Shuah Fifield, daughter of John and Mary (Webster) Fifield was born May 7, 1720 at Kingston, baptized at West Church, Salisbury, June 8, 1721; married Sinkler Bean in 1739.

(New England Historical and Genealogical Register vol. 9 P. 160 Webster family).

This reminds me to inquire if it ever occurred to you, that, making no allowance for intermarriages, in the ninth generation of the descendants of John Bean, for every one bearing the name there are one hundred twenty-seven bearing other names? But there have been intermarriages; yet taking this into consideration, the whole number of descendants in the generation comprising those of middle age at this time, exceed those bearing the name of Bean by more than one hundred to one. Who they are we do not know; nay, we never can know, it is not within the limit of human investigation to trace the almost myriad lines. Let not anyone who has married, or become acquainted with a Bean or Bain deny their ancestry.

NICHOLAS PAINE AND JULIZA (GERY) VANDYBOGURT

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HARMEN VAN DE BOGURT

The Van de Bogurt family is recognized as one of the oldest American families. Unfortunately the New York State Records have not been carefully kept and it is much more difficult to prove out the line of descent in New York state than in others of the eastern states. The descendants of Nicholas Paine Van de Bogurt (Vandybogurt) b. Sept. 5, 1809, will probably never be able to prove to a certainty their line. It will be noticed that many of the dates are left blank. This is made necessary by the lack of records. Some of the dates are taken from church records which show only the date of baptism and the parents of the child. It is generally believed and so accepted by Genealogists that Nicholas Paine Van de Bogurt was a descendant of Harmen, son of Myndert Van De Bogurt, who was born in Holland in 1612. He came to New Amsterdam in the ship Eimdright, May 24, 1630, as a ship's surgeon. This ship had started from Texel on the 21st day of March previous.

In 1638 Harmen sailed for the West Indies, but came to a violent death in 1648 at Fort Orange, where he was holding a responsible position.

Clas, b. in New York, Aug. 26, 1640, m. Ametji Tjerkse.

Laterus, b. March 23, 1717.

1 NICHOLAS VAN DE BOGURT

Nicholas whose birth date is unknown was undoubtedly born in N. Y. state. He married Johanna and they had a son, Akaham.

2 AKAHAM VAN DE BOGURT

Akaham Van de Bogurt and his wife, Margaretta were the parents of Nicholas, b. Aug. 9th, 1784, d. in 1812 at Albion, N. Y.

The records are incomplete and the connections are not shown between the first arrivals and our relation to them. It will be seen however, that the line from the present generation to Nicholas and Johanna, grandparents of Nicholas, b. Aug. 9, 1784, is complete, and there is available ample proof to show the connections.

3 NICHOLAS VAN DE BOGURT

Nicholas Van de Bogurt b. Aug. 9, 1784 in Albany County, was the son of Akaham Van de Bogurt and his wife Margaretta. Akaham was the son of Nicholas and Johanna, dates of birth unknown, all of Albany County. The records show that Nicholas was born Aug. 9, 1784 and d. in 1812. He married Ester Paine, who was born over the line in Connecticut, July 23, 1788 and died in Niagara County, New York.

The estate was probated at Albion, N. Y., and later the widow married James Briggs and with him lived in Niagara County, N. Y. There were several children born to them and Amelia Lum, still living, recalls visiting them at Lenewee County, Michigan; in fact she was born there.

The records at Albion, N. Y., disclose only the probate notice with James (whom the widow married) and John Briggs as bondsmen for the widow who was administrator.

Thus we find the descendants of Nicholas Paine Van de Bogurt b. Sept. 15, 1809, may know their ancestry, to a certainty, back to Nicholas of about 1830, the father of Akaham, but we fear it will be difficult to prove beyond question the exact relation to the first emigrant to America by that name, although as stated, it is generally conceded that this line is descended from Harmen, who came on the ship Eimdright.

Looking the Revolutionary war records over, we find many Van de Bogurts in the service. The name is spelled differently in some cases but all are conceded to belong to the Van de Bogurt family. It is not the purpose of the writer to give the early history of this family in detail. Sufficient to know from whence we came.

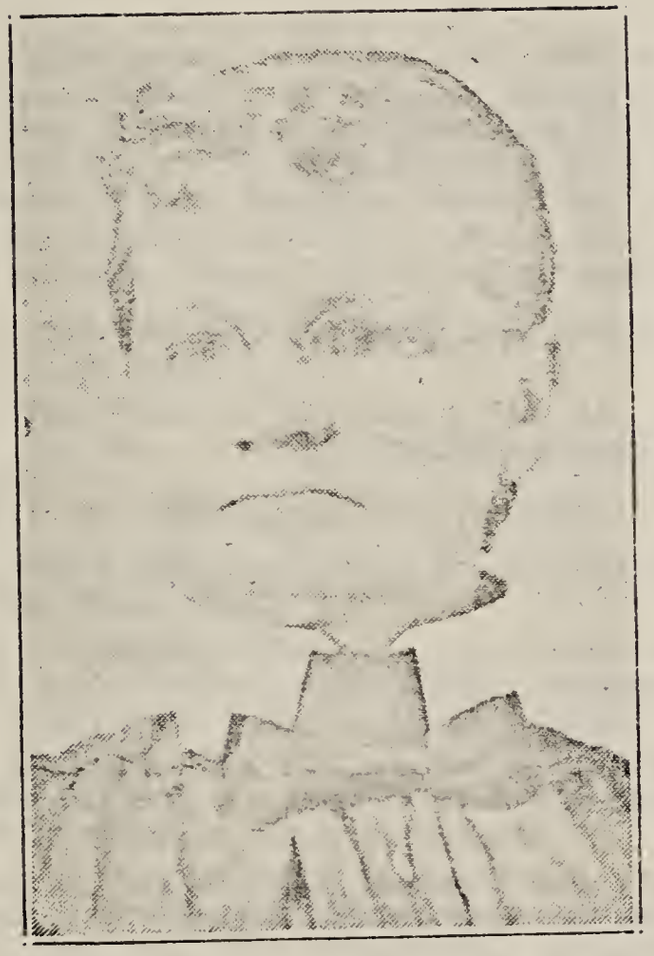
Ester Vandebogurt, after the death of her husband, Nicholas, who passed away in 1812, remarried to James Briggs, and Nicholas Paine, named after his father and mother, was bound out to learn the cabinet trade. He stated in after years that he had a brother named Charles. After the marriage to James Briggs, several children were born and although descendants of Nicholas Paine Vandebogurt remember visiting the Briggs family, and know all about the family relation, the Briggs have no record of Ester Paine, b. July 23, 1788. They have records of Ester, the wife of James. She died as stated Dec. 8, 1856 in New York State.

4 NICHOLAS PAINE VANDYBOGURT

Nicholas Paine Vandybogurt was born September 15th, 1809, Niagara County, N. Y.

Nicholas Paine Vandebogurt was a cabinet maker as already stated. Much of his work is still in existence. A table of inlaid woods is owned by Mrs. Lewis Linter and several tables which he made and other pieces of furniture are owned at the present time by his descendants. The home in Clarendon, Mich., where he died and where the younger of his children were married still stands. It was built by his own hands, all from rough lumber. It is in a very good state of preservation although it has been disfigured with a coat of stucco.

He was a very proud, stately man, rather dignified and impressive, well read and able to make a creditable appearance anywhere. His son, Charles, of whom there will be more later, resembled him to a marked degree and was during the later years of his life a splendidly preserved and good looking man. On a visit to his son Ira's home but a year before his death, where he was staying at that time, Donald Lum, then a boy, stated that "Uncle Charles was the best looking old man he had ever met."



AMELIA (VAN DE BOGURT) LUM

Nicholas Paine Vandebogurt, b. Sept. 15, 1809, d. April 10, 1879, m. Juliza Gary, Niagara Co., N. Y., Feb. 18, 1829. She was b. Sept. 25, 1808; d. Oct. 25, 1889. He (Nicholas) was buried in the family burial grounds about a quarter of a mile from the family home which had been built up. Juliza, his wife, lived until as above stated, when she died and is buried beside him. The above records secured at considerable expense and a lot of time, bring the family history down to the time when records are available.

Nicholas P. Vandebogurt was a hard working man. He cleared his own farm and built his own buildings. He was a carpenter and cabinet maker and there is still work in existence which he did, owned by members of the family which is almost priceless.

Nicholas Paine moved with his wife and family, first to Senica, Lenewee County, from Orleans County, N. Y., in 1838, where they lived neighbors to the Briggs, his halfbrothers, until June 5, 1846, when with his family he moved to Clarendon Center, Calhoun County, Michigan, where the family resided and where the old homestead still stands. The farm is now owned by a grandson, Alten J. Shaw. Their children were:

Mary, b. Nov. 24, 1829, d. April 1899, m. John Canburn, Jan. 8, 1846.

Sarah Melisa, b. April 10, 1831, d. Oct. 11, 1921, m. twice, first to ..... Brainerd, second to Steve Brewer.

Harllow, b. Dec. 24, 1834, d. Aug. 17, 1888.

Carllow was a twin boy born the same date as Harllow; died while young.

Adaline, b. March 27, 1833, d. ....., 1917, m. Oliver Bailey; had Charles, Orville, George, Jerome and Edgar. Last known, living in McCook, Nebr.

Charles Hazen, b. Jan. 31, 1837, Orleans County, N. Y. d. Sept. 22, 1921, m. Mary Ann F. Canburn at the age of 19 years, at his father's home.

AMELIA, b. Jan. 10, 1845, Madison, Lenewee County, Michigan, m. Edward Denton Lum at her father's home, Jan. 1st, 1863, Clarendon, Michigan. (See Lum Section).

Ellen, b. Jan. 31, 1847, d. June 9, 1921, m. Hart Shaw.
Orville died young.
Adellia died young.

5 CHARLES HAZEN VANDYBOGURT

Charles Hazen Vandybogurt was born in Orleans County, N. Y., February 1st, 1837. He came with his parents, Nicholas Paine and Juliza Vandybogurt to Senica, Lenewee County, Michigan, in 1838 and later with his parents moved to Clarendon Center, Calhoun County, Michigan. When 19 years of age he married Mary Ann F. Canburn at his father's home.

Later Charles acquired a farm just west of the old homestead and lived there most of his life. Five children were born to Charles and Mary Vandybogurt.

Jerusha, who died at twelve years of age.
Charles Marvin, b. Aug. 25, 1861, Clarendon Center, Michigan.
Ira Hazen, b. May 4, 1863.
Mary Estella, b. July 18, 1867, m. Wm. Saunders.
Lily Myrtle, b. June 4, 1869, m. Prof. Duly McCone. They live in Homer, Michigan and have no children.

Charles Hazen Van de Bogurt died at the home of his son, Ira in Battle Creek, Michigan, September 22, 1921, where he lived some time before his death. He is buried in the family burial lot in a cemetery adjoining the old Vandybogurt farm platted originally by Nicholas Paine.

C. H. Vandybogurt, son of N. P. and Juliza Vandybogurt was born in Orleans County, N. Y., Feb. 1, 1837, and departed from this life September 22, 1921, being 84 years, 7 months and 22 days old.

He came with his parents to Madison, Lenewee County, Michigan, when he was a small boy and from there came to Clarendon, Calhoun County, when he was 12 years of age. There he grew to manhood.

He was a member of the M. E. church of Clarendon for many years, serving as class leader for 22 years and having a record of attending the weekly prayer meeting for consecutive years without missing but two nights.

6 CHARLES MARVIN VANDYBOGURT

Charles Marvin Vandybogurt was born Aug. 25, 1861 in Clarendon, Calhoun County, Michigan. He was married on April 3, 1884 to Miss Roxa — Dickinson. To this union two children were born:

IRA H. VANDYBOGURT

Ira H. Vandybogurt was born May 4, 1863 in Clarendon, Calhoun County, Michigan. He went to California in 1886. In 1898 he returned to Michigan with his small daughter, Lily Amelia, b. Sept. 5, 1895. He moved with his father and mother to Homer, Michigan, where he remained one year. He then moved to Battle Creek where he was united in marriage to Mrs. Lizzie McFarland in 1900. In 1911 his daughter died at the age of fifteen. In 1915 his wife died and on June 28, 1921, he married Miss Dorothy Bush. One child was born to this marriage:

Jean Marie, b. Oct. 16, 1922.

MARY ESTELLA VANDYBOGURT

Mary Estella Vandybogurt was born July 18, 1867. On

CHARLES HAZEN VANDYBOGURT

Nov. 25, 1883 she married William Henry Saunders at Tekonsha, Michigan. To this union four children were born:

Charles Henry, b. Oct. 2, 1884, m. Stella Pickett Jan. 17, 1909. Three children were born: Merribell, Mildred and Clair.

Ira La Vern, b. Sept. 11. 1892, m. March 24, 1911 to Eva Bell Adams. Two sons were born, one dying at birth: Calvin, living.

Florence Estella, b. March 21, 1896, m. Sept. 9, 1912 to Charles Demarest. Five children were born: Gerald, Rex, twin daughters, Bettie Jean and Bonnie Jean, and Donna Jean.

Helen Leona, b. June 20, 1902, m. Claud J. Heath, Aug. 25, 1926. No children.

7 LELAND VANDYBOGURT

Leland Jay, b. July 7, 1885, m. Oct. 14, 1909 to Flossie Vern Myers. Three children were born: Jack Harold, b. July 8, 1914; Dorothy May, b. Feb. 16, 1916; Charles Leigh, b. Feb. 21, 1924.

Clara Estella, b. Oct. 29, 1869, m. Sept. 1, 1920 to Sidney Everett Purkey. No children.

MARY VANDYBOGURT

Married John Canburn January 5th, 1846 at Senica, Lenewee County, Michigan.

Eliza, b. ....., d. Feb. 8, 1899, m. Ira Eastman. Two children were born who died in youth.

Loraina, b. ....., d. ....., m. first to Frank Hyde (died), two sons were born, Charles and and Erma; second to John Thompson. One son was born:

Warren Thompson, b. March 18, 1889, d. ....., m. Effie Kline Aug. 31, 1911.

Frank, b. Jan. 29, 1859, m. May 2, 1885 to Elizabeth Coveney. Four children were born; Grace, b. Aug. 25, 1887: Rex, b. Oct. 31, 1891; John Jr., b. May 19, 1898, d. May 8, 1916; Eva, b. Feb. 17, 1900.

Louisa A., b. Nov. 18, 1846, d. May 18, 1849.

John A., b. Sept. 4, 1848, d. Nov. 4, 1848.

Ida, b. May, 1855, d. Jan. 9, 1872.

Adelia, b. July 6, 1865, d. April 6, 1879.

Nellie M., b. Dec. 3, 1875, d. April 3, 1879.

Nicholas P., b. May 28, 1861, m. Jan. 10, 1889, m. to Clara J. Ely. Two children were born:
Roy Chester, b. Dec. 14, 1903, d. Feb. 14, 1921 at Camp Jackson, Columbia, S. C.
Leo Wells, b. Oct. 24, 1909.

SARAH MELISSA VANDYBOGURT

Her children were:

ADDIE L., b. Feb. 22, 1859, d. July 13, 1892, m. Nov. 5,

1877 to James Troop. Three children were born:
Bertha May, b. July 13, 1879, d. ....., m. Alva Sweet Sept. 29, 1898.
Livona May, b. Nov. 3, 1881, d. June 5, 1928, m. Roy Butler, Feb. 10, 1900.
Dick J., b. July 13, 1892, m. June 9, 1912 to Clara Laker.

ELIZABETH ISABELLE, b. Nov. 4, 1852, d. Apl. 6, 1919, m. Nov. 18, 1876 to James Meade Hyde, b. Dec. 28, 1853, d. March 14, 1923. Ten children were born.

Eva May, b. May 30, 1879, m. Oscar Leslie Dame, b. Sept. 30, 1869. Their children were: Charles Edward b. May 2, 1900, m. Kathryn Pausel, b. Aug. 29, 1904. Their children were:
Donald Edward, b. July 21, 1924; Robert Lee, b. Aug. 3, 1925.

Rose Ethel, b. Feb. 25, 1902.

Orlo Arthur, b. Oct. 29, 1903, m. Winifred Pyard. One child. Mabel Fern, b. Aug. 13, 1905.

George Franklin, b. Aug. 28, 1908.

Minnie May, b. Aug. 9, 1910.

Myra, b. March 18, 1912.

Roy, b. Nov. 7, 1913.

Anna, b. Nov. 25, 1915.

Alton, b. June 15, 1918.

William Everett Hyde, b. March 20, 1881.

Eloise Esther, b. April 4, 1928.

Worthy Franklin, b. Dec. 4, 1882, m. Geneva LeFevre, b, June 27, 1885. Their children were: Mabel Louise, b. Sept. 8, 1909; Margaret L. b. April 11, 1918.

Minnie Elvertie, b. Oct. 27, 1884.

Walter Lewis, b. Aug. 30, 1886, m. Anna Byanski.

Catherine E., b. Aug. 20, 1914.

Mary Helen, b. Nov. 5, 1919.

Warren James, b. Sept. 7, 1889, m. Edith L. Howard, b. June 26, 1894. Their children were: Max Lewis b. Nov. 18, 1917; Mildred E., b. Oct. 19, 1926.

Ernest D., b. April 26, 1891, died in infancy.

Elmer D, b. April 26, 1891, died in infancy.

Elma D., b. April 26, 1891, died in infancy.

Russel V., b. Feb. 9, 1895, m. Laura M. White Dec. 23, 1917. Their children were: Russel B., b. Dec. 12, 1919; Helen L., b. Sept. 13, 1921.

MILA MOLINDA, b. March 9, 1860, m. May 1, 1881 to James Sheldon Holden. Their children were: Claude Leslie, b. March 20, 1883, m. Jan. 10, 1918, to Bernice Bishop. One daughter was born: Rose May, b. Sept. 6, 1918.

Ivah Belle, b. Aug. 14, 1887, m. March 18, 1914 to Michael Black. One child: Corlis Eugene, b. Jan. 6, 1915.

HARLOW VANDYBOGURT

Harlow Vandybogurt was born Dec. 24, 1831 and died Aug. 17, 1887. He married Priscilla C. Bates, b. Jan. 4, 1834, d. Aug. 21, 1904. Their children were:

Juliza L., b. Jan. 24, 1861, m. Nov. 25, 1882, to Henry Born, b. Oct. 2, 1857, d. Feb. 8, 1929. Their children were: Elsie M., b. Aug. 18, 1886, m. Dec. 7, 1910 to Herbert H. Dickinson, who died July 19, 1916. M again to Oscar E. Sloan, April 15, 1925.

George H. Born, b. Nov. 30, 1888, m. Jan. 18, 1911, to Zoe Smith. Children: Leone, Eileen, Maxine, Eloise, Geralel, Duell, Daryl.

L. Clare, b. Nov. 9, 1898, m. Nov. 13, 1918.

Lucy, b. March 24, 1864, d. Sept. 4, 1927, m. Philip Sweet 1891.

Fred, b. Nov. 24, 1870, d. April ...., 1872.

ADALINE VANDYBOGURT

Was b. March 27, 1883, m. Oliver Bailey and had five boys, Oliver, Charles, George, Jerome and Edgar. She died in 1888 at or near McCook, Nebraska, where the family was living at that time.

ALTON J. SHAW

Born Dec. 28th, 1887, Clarendon, Michigan. Was m. to Jenny May Heath Sept. 9, 1916.

Wyone Bell, b. June 24, 1917.
Velma Ellen, b. Dec. 13, 1918.
Howard J., b. Feb. 2, 1920.

Wife died Dec. 9, 1920. Married Mrs. Georgia Lewis, April 25th, 1925.

DORA A. SHAW

Dora A. Shaw was born on Jan. 26, 1884. On Feb. 4th, 1905, she was united in marriage to Leroy Scott Kurtz. Their children were:

LeOla Elite, b. Jan. 10, 1908, m. Sept. 11, 1926 to Frank Hicks. One daughter, Ruthella May, born June 14th, 1927.

Ellen LeOra Iola, b. April 19, 1909.

Vena Hellen and Vera Ella, b. Dec. 2, 1912.

Vera Ella, m. June 28, 1928 to Bernard Reed.

RUFUS GARY

Juliza, b. Sept. 25, 1803, Rufus, Laura, Sarah and Emarett Gary were the children of Enos or Eaneas Gary. Years of search has failed to locate anything which places the family. The name Rufus, an unusual name, is found in the Gary family. Juliza Gary married Nicholas P. Vandybogurt, b. Sept. 15th, 1809.

In 1885 Juliza Gary Vandybogurt visited her daughter, Amelia Vandybogurt Lum in Iowa for several months and the writer recalls her telling of her girlhood days in her home which was, she stated on Tonawanda Creek, N. Y. state. She told of her father carrying messages for Washington. She stated he entered the army when but 13 years of age.

With all this information which must be true, we have been utterly unable to find a single record of any kind to prove the family connection. None living can recall distinctly the name of her father. Two or three of his descendants have heard it and it was probably Enos, Eaneas or a name that sounds similar.

The father of Juliza Gary was a Revolutionary soldier and it is unfortunate that the connection cannot be found but at this time it has not been done. Later perhaps someone may discover the records. The sons of Rufus above, were Minor, George and Rufus.

1 STEPHEN PAINE

Stephen Paine, born in Hingham, Norfolk County, England, in 1629, came to New England with his parents in 1638. He took the Oath of Fidelity in 1657, in Rehoboth, Mass., where he was a prominent citizen. Stephen Paine and his father were among the early land owners in Swansey, Mass., as there is recorded a grant, dated 9 of 11th mo. 1671. "Mr. Stephen Paine, Senior, is granted a plot of land to sett an house upon adjoining the land of Stephen Paine, Jr."

Stephen Paine was an active participant in King Philip's War in 1675; he contributed 10 pounds, 11sh. 5; as well as personal services.

Stephen Paine died in Rehoboth, Mass., Jan. 1677-8; leaving a widow, Ann, who married in Dec. 1679, Thomas Metcalf.

Issue:

Stephen, b. Sept. 29, 1654; m. Elizabeth Williams; Mary Brinthall.
Rebecca, b. Oct. 20, 1656; m. Peter Hunt, Jr., Samuel Peck.
John, b. April 3, 1658; m. Elizabeth Belcher.
Mary, b. May 11, 1660; m. Enoch Hunt.
SAMUEL, b. May 12, 1662; ANNE PECK;
Abigail Frizzell, (widow).
Elizabeth, b. Aug. 27, 1664; m. Jacob Pepper.
Sarah, b. Oct. 12, 1666; m. Daniel Aldis.
Nathaniel, b. Sept. 20, 1667; m. Dorothy Chaffee.
Benjamin, b. March 9, 1674-5.

2 SAMUEL PAINE

Samuel Paine, born May 12, 1662, in Rehoboth, Mass., married Anne, daughter of Deacon Samuel and Sarah (Hunt) Peck, born in Rehoboth, Mass., Dec. 22, 1667. Joseph Peck, the grandfather of Anne, came over in the "Diligent" with Stephen Paine, bringing his wife, three sons and one daughter, two men-servants and three maid-servants from Old Hingham, Norfolk County, England. (See Cushing's Record). Samuel Peck, in his will, dated June 11, 1705, gives "unto my son-in-law, SAMUEL PAINE, 50 acres lying on the east side of Palmers River and 100 pounds commonage in the town of Rehoboth"; "unto daughter Anne Paine, one feather bed with one coverlid and two blankets;" "unto granddaughter, Sarah Paine, one silver spoon."

In 1689, Peter Hunt, in his will gives to granddaughter, ANNE PAINE, five pounds.

Samuel Paine's wife, Anne Peck died Feb. 26, 1703, four days after the birth of her son Daniel.

Samuel Paine and Anne Peck were married Dec. 16, 1685.

Issue:

SAMUEL, b. Sept. 13, 1688, m. Ruth Perrin; removed to Pomfret, Conn.
Anna, b. Sept. 15, 1688, m. Jacob Hunt.
SETH, b. Aug. 20, 1690, m. Mary Morris.

SARAH, b. Dec. 11, 1692, m. Daniel Peck.
Judith, b. Feb. 18, 1695, m. Ichabod Peck.
Noah, b. May 28, 1696, m. Mehitable Storrs.
Daniel, b. Feb. 22, 1703, m. Leah Smith.
(Savage Vol. III gives the dates of birth; he also names a child, Stephen, born June 21, 1699).

Samuel Paine received at the death of his father, "the horse, the remainder of the leather (Stephen Paine was a tanner) except 88 pounds to be paid to his mother and 12 pounds to be paid to his sister, Rebecca, the wife of Samuel Peck"; Samuel Paine received from the estate of his brother, Benjamin, of Bristol, R. I., on Oct. 30, 1700, 21 pounds; Stephen Paine, Sr., in his will dated July 18. 1679, gives to "grandson, SAMUEL PAINE, one tenement in Rehoboth with all lands adjoining; also 50 pounds. (Will probated Plymouth Court Oct. 30, 1679).

Samuel Paine was a man of large estate for those early days; he purchased of Major James Fitch, in the Roxbury settlement, (called at that time New Woodstock) land for which he paid "120 pounds 10 shillings, current silver money of New England in hand." Deed dated Dec. 8, 1699. Samuel Peck, who witnessed that deed was father-in-law of Samuel Paine and was also the first deputy from Rehoboth to the Central Court of Plymouth Colony. On May 15, 1708, John Lyon, of Woodstock, deeded to Samuel Paine of Rehoboth, a certain housing and land consisting of a mansion house, barns and out-houses and 140 acres of land in Woodstock, Conn. Samuel Paine removed with his children to Woodstock, Conn., and in 1708 was one of a committee to raise salary for minister.

On Jan. 18, 1709, Samuel Paine m. Abigail Frizzel, widow of Joseph Frizzel, who died in Woodstock in 1704. On Sept. 19, 1713, "Abigail Paine, Administratrix of her former husband's estate," issues her final account.

Samuel Paine died in Woodstock, Conn., May 11, 1735; in his will he gives to "dear wife Abigail, the one-third of her former husband's estates which she brought with her." Abigail Paine died in Woodstock, Conn., Jan. 13, 1752, "age 79." The gravestones of Samuel Paine and his second wife, Abigail, are in the old cemetery in Woodstock, Conn.

Issue, second marriage:
Rebecca, m. Deliverance Cleveland, of Canterbury, Conn.
Ebenezer, m. Mary Grosvenor, of Pomfret, Conn.

3 SETH PAINE

Seth Paine, of Pomfret and Mary Morris, of Woodstock, Conn., were married June 3, 1719 (Vital Records of Pomfret, Conn., Vol. 1, p. 1).

Issue: (All born in Pomfret and recorded Vol. 1. p. 19).
Seth, b. March 4, 1720, m. Mabel Tyler.
Mary, b. May 31, 1721, m. David Abbott.
Hannah, b. June 10, 1722.

Elijah, b. Sept. 13, 1724, m. Mary White (he was a physician).
JOSEPH, b. Feb. 9, 1726-7, m. Sarah Morris.
Sarah, b. Jan. 14, 1728, died in Pomfret, Jan. 17, 1778 (Brother, Seth, Adm.)

John, b. July 4, 1731, d. June 2, 1754.
Margaret, b. March 28, 1733.
Joshua, b. March 18, 1735 (graduated from Yale, 1759, m. Mary Moseley).

Judith, b. Feb. 18, 1737-8, m. Stephen Williams.
Seth Paine died Jan. 18, 1772 (Vital Records of Pomfret, Conn., 1 p. 20).
Mary, wife of Seth Paine, died May 7, 1762 (V. R. Pomfret, Conn., 1 p. 20).

4 JOSEPH PAINE

JOSEPH PAINE married Sarah Morris, in Pomfret, June 7, 1750 (Vital Records 1 p. 102).

Issue: (All born in Pomfret, Conn., and recorded Vol. 1, p. 63).

JOSEPH, b. Oct. 8, 1750.
Asa, b. Dec. 29, 1752 (Removed to Windsor, Vt.).
Salmon, b. July 20, 1755.
Hannah, b. Aug. 29, 1759.

Joseph Paine died in Pomfret, Conn., March 18, 1761 "in 35th year." (Vital Records Vol. 1 p. 20).

Note: See Photostat records marked "Joseph Paine." It will be seen that Seth Paine, his father, and Sarah Paine, his wife, administrated his estate. His children, Joseph, Asa, Salmon and Hannah are mentioned.

5 JOSEPH PAINE

Joseph Paine settled in Waterbury, Conn., where he married first, Huldah Hotchkiss, daughter of Gideon Hotchkiss, Apr. 8, 1773.

Issue:
Harmon, b. Dec. 9, 1773. (Vital Records Vol 11 p. 112).
Huldah Paine, wife of Joseph, died March 28, 1774 (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112).

Joseph Paine married second Esther Hotchkiss, Nov. 21, 1774. (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112)

Issue:
Joseph, b. Oct. 13, 1776. (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112).
Peter, b. June 13, 1779. (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112).

Esther, wife of Joseph Paine, died Feb. 23, 1787. Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112).

Joseph Paine married 3rd, Abigail Olcott, Sept. 26, 1787. (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112).

Issue:

Esther, b. July 23, 1788. (Vital Records Vol 11 p. 112).
m. Micholas Van de Bogurt
Susannah, b. June 25, 1790, d. Sept. 13, 1804. (Vital Records, Vol. 11 p. 112)

Abigail, wife of Joseph Paine, died Jan. 29, 1795. (Vital Records Vol. 11 p. 112). Joseph Paine married fourth Lois Hotchkiss, June 1, 1795. (Vital Records Vol. 11 p. 112).

Joseph Paine died April 25, 1805 in 55th year. (Vital Records Vol. 11 p. 112).

(This family disappears entirely from Connecticut; no further mention is made of any of them in the records of that state: and th esame names appear in Columbia County, N. Y., just across the line).

5 ESTER PAINE

Ester Paine was born July 23, 1788, m. Nicholas Vandybogurt. See page 35.

EBENEZER MORRIS

The following is the Genealogy of the Morris family previous to June 3rd, 1719, when Seth Paine married Mary Morris and June 7th, 1750, when Joseph married Sarah Morris, both being married at Pomfret, Conn.

1. Ebenezer Morris married Sarah Davis Sept. 1, 1692 (Woodstock, Vol. 1, p. 3).

Mary, b. March 23, 1694-5 (Woodstock Records, p. 3).
(Mary m. Seth Paine June 3, 1719).
Ebenezer, b. Feb. 26, 1698-9 (Woodstock Records, p. 6, Vol. 1). (Ebenezer m. Sarah Killian).
Lieut. Ebenezer Morris died Feb. 26, 1717-8 (Wood stock Records 1, p. 28).

Sarah, widow of Lieut. Ebenezer Morris, d. April 18, 1741, "in her 70th year." (Woodstock 1, p. 76).

2. Ebenezer Morris of Woodstock and Sarah Killian, of Enfield m. April 25, 1725 (Woodstock 1, p. 38) and (Enfield 1A, p. 98).

Issue:
Ebenezer, b. April 19, 1726 (Woodstock 1, p. 40).
Sarah, b. June 22, 1730, bapt. Aug. 9, 1730 (Enfield 1, p. 69).

(Note: History of Enfield, p. 2189, "Ebenezer Morris and wife Sarah, were dismissed from Woodstock and accepted here." "Sarah, daughter of Ebenezer and Sarah Morris baptized Aug. 9, 1730," History of Enfield, p. 2177).

Joshua, b. Oct. 28, 1733 (History of Enfield, p. 2179).
Mary, b. April 5, 1736, bapt. April 18, 1736 (2180).
Joseph, b. Oct. 25, 1738, bapt. Dec. 1738 (pps. 2196 and 2181).
Hulda, b. March 5, 1741, bapt. May 31, 1741 (pps. 2138 and 2203).
Anna, b. Oct. 23, 1745, bapt. Feb. 9, 1746 (pps 2185 and 2208).

Sarah Morris, wife of Ebenezer Morris, late of Enfield, died in Pomfret, Conn., Feb. 19, 1761-2. (Pomfret, Vol. 1, p. 20).

(Note: SARAH, her daughter, married Joseph Paine and lived in Pomfret).

1 SAMUEL FULLER

Samuel Fuller b....., son of Edward Fuller, who died in Plymouth, Mass., in 1621; his wife died the same year. Samuel Fuller came with his parents in the Mayflower. Samuel Fuller married Jane Lathrop.

2 JOHN FULLER

John Fuller, b. Barnstable, Mass., in 1656, d. East Haddam Conn., 1726, m. Mehitable Rowley, daughter of Moses Rowley.

3 JOSEPH FULLER

Joseph Fuller, b. March 1, 1700, East Haddam, Conn., d. July 19, 1775 at Kent, Conn., m. Dec. 22 to Lydia Day, b. April 11, 1698 at Hartford, Conn., d. Nov. 2, 1763.

4 JACOB FULLER

Jacob Fuller, b. Colchester, Conn., 1739, will dated Jan. 12, 1796, probated in 1816. (No. 966 Town Kent, Dist. New Milford. 1 Will 1 District.) m. Feb. 23, 1764 at Kent, Conn. (Vital Records 11 p. 72) to Elizabeth Paine, b. Dec. 6, 1741 at Pomfret, Conn., d. Jan. 9, 1819 at Kent, Conn. Survived husband.

Jacob Fuller married Elizabeth Paine, February 23, 1764 (Vol. II, p. 72). Issue:

James, b. Dec. 12, 1764 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Margaret, b. Sept. 20, 1766 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Elizabeth, b. June 29, 1768 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Lydia, b. June 9, 1770 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Jacob, b. April 22, 1772 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Dimis, b. July 3, 1774 (Vol. 11 p. 72).
Ruth, b. March 6, 1776 (Vol. II p. 72).
Joshua, b. Dec. 3, 1778 (Vol. II p. 72).
Isaac, b. Nov. 24, 1785 (Vol. II p. 72).
Sarah, b. Nov. 12, 1788 (Vol. II p. 72).
Records of Kent, Conn., (Filed in Hartford, Conn.).

By the will of Jacob Fuller (Town Kent; Dist. New Milford; No. 966 in Probate Records) 1816; we establish definitely who the daughters married. The Fuller Genealogy states that several of these children died young. This is positively an error.

Margaret married Asa Parks.
Lydia married Abraham Beecher.
Elizabeth married Elisha Skiff.
Dimis married Ebenezer Berry.

Jacob receives 10 shillings; Joshua is not named in the will and James is called "well beloved son," and left remainder of estate both real and personal." The daughters receive 18 pounds each. It is very evident that Jacob, Jr., left Kent, Conn.

The Paine family is certainly interesting, as this proves how families moved from one place to another. Elizabeth Paine is positively found; the will of her father, Records of Kent, gave no clue to Elizabeth. An Elizabeth was found in Pomfret, whose age would be corect; but while the family names were correct, I had to have a will to prove it; and in this case it was positively proved.

5 JACOB FULLER

Jacob Fuller, b. April 22, 1772 at Kent, Conn. (Vital Records II, p. 72), m. Isabel Wells, 8th child of Benjamin Wells, b. Washington county, N. Y., Nov. 1776, died at Lisbon, N. Y. 1850. They were married in 1798. The above dates are copied from the family records of the Fuller family. Their children were:

Olive, b. 1799, m. Arad Newton.
BENJAMIN RICE, b. 1800, m. Nancy Spears.
Joshua, b. 1803, buried at Orono, Ont. near Newcastle.
Sarah, b. 1805, m. James Fox.
Elizabeth, b. 1807, m. John Buffham.
Peter, b. 1810, m. (1) Elinor Martin, (2).
Mrs. Jane McCue.
Levi Well, b. 1812, m. (1) Melissa Love, (2) Sarah Mitchell, buried at Orono, Ont.

6 BENJAMIN RICE FULLER

Benjamin Rice Fuller was born, July 1, 1800 in Washington county, N. Y., where his mother was born and married. Died July 14, 1875, m. Nancy Spears, b. July 19th, 1806, d. Oct. 27, 1887. They were of the Presbyterian faith and are both buried at Moria cemetery, Ont., Canada. Their children were:

James Douglas Fuller, b. 1826, d. Feb. 1, 1892, m. Rachel Watts.
John Spears, b. May 31, 1828, d. Oct. 25, 1877, m. Minerva Trump.
Wm. D. Fuller, b. 1830, d. Aug. 20, 1897, m. Delilah Faulkner.
Thomas A. Fuller, b. 1832, d. Aug. 20, 1897, m. Kate Trumpour.
Geo. A. Fuller, b. 1834, d. Lake Benton, Minn., m. Delilah Pringle.
Benjamin Fuller, b. 1836, d. 1864.
Charles D. Fuller, b. May 23, 1640, d. May, 1904, m. Elsie Kinsey.

7 JOHN SPEARS FULLER

John Spears Fuller was born May 31st, 1828 at Ogdensburg, N. Y., d. Oct. 25, 1877, m. Dec. 29, 1858 to Minerva Jane Trumpour, b. Feb. 19, 1837, d. May 5, 1919. Both are buried at Moria, Ont., Canada. Their children were:

Emma Eureka, b. Dev. 27, 1861, d. April 9, 1904.
m. Herbert W. Counter, Jan. 20, 1881.
Ida Jane, b. Feb. 1st, 1863, m. to Bruce G. Foster, Feb. 25th 1883.
Georgina, b. Mar. 11, 1867, m. to Daniel J. Collins Nov. 29th, 1887.
Kate Ethel Frances Fuller, b. Aug. 20th, 1877, married to Wm. Francis Elliott June 7th, 1899.

ELIZABETH PAINE

Samuel Paine, b. Rehoboth, Aug. 12, 1662, d. ..... m. Dec. 16, 1685 to Ann Peck, of Rehoboth, Mass., b. Dec. 22, 1667, Rehoboth, Mass., d. Feb. 26, 1703, daughter of Samuel and Sarah (Hunt) Peck.

Samuel Paine, b. Sept. 13, 1688 at Rehoboth, Mass., (removed to Pomfret, Conn., in 1705), d. Feb. 15, 1732-3 at Pomfret, Conn. (Vital Records Pomfret, Conn. Vol. I, p. 27), m. ..... to Ruth Perrin, b. March 30, 1688, d. June 5, 1725 at Pomfret, Conn., daughter of Abraham Perrin and Sarah Walker, oldest daughter of Philip Walker, Savage 3, p. 399. (Vital Records of Pomfret, Conn., Vol. II, p. 27)

Samuel Paine, Jr., b. March 21, 1712, d. ....., will dated 1794 (see photostats). m. May 15, 1735 to Lydia Smith, b. ...., d. .....

Elizabeth Paine, b. Dec. 26, 1741, Pomfret, Conn., d. Jan. 9, 1819 at Kent, Conn., m. Feb. 23, 1764 at Kent Conn. (Vital Records II, p. 72), to Jacob Fuller, b. 1739 at Colchester, Conn. d. ..... will dated Jan. 12, 1796, probated 1816.

POMFRET VITAL RECORDS

Samuel Paine Jr., and Lydia Smith married May 15, 1735 (Vol. I p. 2). Issue:

Samuel, Feb. 11, 1736; deceased at distribution of father's estate.
Ruth, July 23, 1737.
James, July 2, 1739; deceased at distribution of father's estate.

ELIZABETH, Dec. 26, 1741 called ELIZABETH FULLER in distribution.

Lydia, March 11, 1744 living in 1794.
Smith, Jan. 7, 1746 living in 1794.

Distribution of Samuel Paine dated 1794, names Samuel Paine, Jr., deceased, James Paine deceased, Abraham and Isaiah Paine, whose births are not recorded in town records; Smith Paine, Lydia, daughter and ELIZABETH FULLER, daughter; JAMES FULLER, eldest son of Elizabeth is an administrator and his own signature is shown on the document.

Now on July 10, 1770, this Samuel Paine deeds lands in

New Hampshire to Isaac Fellows and Jacob Fuller, the father of Jacob Fuller born 1772, and perhaps that is how the sons of Jacob left Connecticut.

Samuel and Ruth (Perrin) Paine had:

Elizabeth, August 9, 1710.

SAMUEL, March 21, 1712.

Sarah, Feb. 16, 1714.

Benjamin, October 30, 1716.

Ann, Feb. 11, 1719.

Ruth, wife of Samuel Paine died June 5, 1725.

Samuel Paine died Feb. 15, 1732-3. From Vital Records, Vol. I, pp. 26 and 27.

Note: The name Benjamin is a family name and the distribution of the estate of Samuel Paine (1712-1794), shows that all children were not recorded as the names of Abraham and Isaiah appear in the distribution but not in the births of town. In the list of children of Jacob and Elizabeth (Paine) Fuller there is a break from 1778 to 1785 and there were no doubt more children but owing to the revolution they were not recorded.

8 EMMA EUREKA FULLER COUNTER

Emma Eureka Fuller Counter was born Dec. 27, 1861 at Hungerford (Fuller), Ont., Canada; died April 9th, 1904 at Graceville, Minn., and was buried April 12th in Lakewood cemetery Minneapolis, Minn. Was m. Jan. 20, 1881 to Herbert Wesley Counter, who was born Oct. 13th, 1860 at Thamesford, Ont., Canada, and died Feb. 13th, 1911 at Spokane, Wash., buried in Fairview cemetery. Their children were:

Edith Marion, who was born April 12th, 1882. at Bronson, Michigan and married Elmour Denton Lum, April 10th, 1901 at Graceville, Minn.

Elsie Emma, b. Aug. 20, 1883 at Fuller (Hungerford) Ont., m. Dr. Claybaugh July 5th, 1905 at Litchville, N. D., d. Aug. 23rd. 1906, buried in Lakewood cemetery, Minneapolis, Minn.

John Richard, b. Aug. 31, 1885 at Big Rapids, Michigan, m. Ruth Wilson, b. May 6th, 1890.

Herbert Wesley Counter, Jr., b. Feb. 18, 1890, at Morris, Minn., m. Gladys Simpson at Barron, Wis.

IDA JANE FULLER

Ida Jane Fuller Foster, b. Feb. 1, 1863 at Hungerford (Fuller), Ont., Can., m. to Bruce G. Foster Feb. 28th, 1883 at Fuller, Ont.

Their children were:

Laura May Foster, b. May 5th, 1884, m. Elroy F. Clapp Dec. 19, 1907, d. Aug. 29, 1928. Their children were:

Marjorie, b. Dec. 8, 1908; Elmour, b. Feb. 26, 1910; Dorothy, b. July 14, 1911.

John Byron Foster, b. June 13th, 1886.

Emma Kathleen, b. Feb. 29th, 1888, m. Franklin Ray June 29th, 1909. Their child is Ida Jean, b. March 11, 1910.

Lillian Marguerite, b. Sept. 21, 1890, m. Arthur Roy Parks, May 17, 1908. Their child is Margaret Elizabeth (Betty) b. Dec. 27th, 1922.

Grace Vera Foster, b. Sept. 21st, 1894, m. William John Sacre, July 9th, 1919. Their children are: Kenneth, b. Sept. 14, 1922; Shirley Jean, b. June 29th, 1926; Elizabeth Louise, b. Oct. 6th, 1927.

Edith Marion Foster, b. June 26th, 1896, m. William Douglas MacKay Oct. 15th, 1919. Their children are: Wm. Bruce, b. Sept. 17, 1920; Eleanor Jean, b. April 26th, 1923.

Jessie Marie Foster, b. May 18, 1902, d. July 22, 1923.

Jean Stuart Foster, b. Jan. 23rd, 1907, m. to William Elias Valleau, Jan. 5th, 1929.

GEORGINA FULLER

Georgina Fuller Collins, b. March 11, 1867 at Hungerford (Fuller) Ont, Canada, m. Daniel Jo. Collins, Nov. 29th, 1887. Their children were:

John Collins, b. Oct. 30th, 1889, m. Oct. 15, 1913 to Mary Douglas, who died Feb. 8th, 1917.. Their children were: Helen, b. Jan. 6th, 1915; Jarvis Douglas, b. Feb. 6th, 1916. John Collins married second time Feb. 23rd, 1921, to Elizabeth Maxwell. Their children were: Marie, b. Nov. 23, 1921; John Maxwell, b. March 14, 1928.

Elsie Collins, b. Aug. 11, 1911, m. William Harrison, Dec. 24, 1921. Their children were: Eugene, b. Feb. 1st, 1923; Donald, b. Jan. 14, 1924.

KATE FRANCES ETHEL FULLER

Kate F. E. Fuller was b. Aug. 20th, 1877, m. to William Francis Elliot June 7th, 1899. Their children were: Francis Stephanie, b. Aug. 2, 1925; Richard Francis, b. Nov. 15, 1927; Leonard Earl, b. Feb. 15, 1928; Macolm Robert Elliott, b. Nov. 29, 1904, m. to Annie Marie Bush Jan. 21st, 1928; Earl Henry Elliott, b. Dec. 14, 1910.

9 JOHN RICHARD COUNTER

John Richard Counter, b. Aug. 31st, 1885 at Big Rapids, Michigan, m. Oct. 30th, 1910, to Ruth Wilson, b. May 6, 1890 at Minneapolis, Minn. Their children were:

Richard Fuller Counter, b. Feb. 5th, 1912 at Minnea-

polis; Lloyd Irving, b. Aug. 8, 1913 at Edmonton. Alberta, Canada; Mildred Marion Phyllis, b. Nov. 23rd. 1914 at Edmonton. Alberta, Canada; Elsie Ruth, b. Dec. 8, 1916 at Edmonton, Canada, died Dec. 24th, 1916; Verle Lucille, b. March 3rd, 1918, at Minneapolis, Minn.; John Wilson, b. Aug. 8th, 1920 at Minneapolis, Minn.; Marjorie June, b. June 12th, 1927.

6 PETER FULLER

Peter Fuller m. first Elinor Martin, second Jane McCue. His children by Elinor Martin:

Jacob, m. Charlotte Jones.

Thomas, unmarried.

David, m. ....., d. .....
daughter, Josephine, Mrs. Shedden, now in Detroit.

Margaret, m. Benj. Lockwood, daughter, Mrs. Ella Fitzpatrick now in Detroit.

Olive, m. Wm. Heckles, b. Dec. 17th, 1843, d. Oct 12, 1913. Wm. Heckles, b. April 6, 1842, d. March 1st, 1925. Their children: Wm. J., b. Aug. 10, 1875; Chas. F., b. Dec. 31, 1876: Olive Edna, b. Mar. 30, 1880.

Rebecca, m. Chas. Slingerland.

Elizabeth, m. Brown.

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